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ABSTRACT

During fiscal year 1972, the writer developed an auditing case which is currently used in the course MN 4151 (Internal Control and Auditing) at the Naval Postgraduate School. This case involves complex auditing and internal control problems related to manufacturing inventories and it is based upon a computer simulation model. The case has been well received by NPS students and appears to be a very effective teaching tool.

A teaching approach for using this simulation case is described in an article entitled "A Computer Simulation Approach for Teaching the Evaluation of Internal Control." This article is scheduled for publication by the American Accounting Association early in 1974 in the Association's forthcoming book, tentatively entitled Accounting Education.

This report contains copies of all of the material which is necessary to implement the teaching approach described in the article mentioned above. The purpose of this report is to make the simulation case available to auditing instructors at universities other than the Naval Postgraduate School.

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## INTRODUCTION

This report contains the materials referred to as the "package of materials" in the article entitled "A Computer Simulation Approach for Teaching the Evaluation of Internal Control." At the time of this writing, this article is scheduled to appear in the American Accounting Association's forthcoming book on accounting education.

For quick reference, the "package of materials" referred to in the article mentioned above is located in this report as follows:

1. Computer simulation program listing-----Appendix B
2. Flow charts of the computer simulation program--Figure 5 and Appendix A
3. Systems Description-----pages 6 - 25
4. List of necessary audit tests of compliance-----Figure 6
5. Audit memorandum-----pages 67 - 69
6. Four probability distributions-----Appendices E, F, G and H.

In addition to the materials listed above, a detailed narrative description of the simulation model is presented in this report at pages 29 through 66. This description should provide the instructor the "inside knowledge" he will need to fulfill his role-playing parts in the teaching approach.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE OPERATIONS AND THE INVENTORY ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL SYSTEM OF THE HYPOTHETICAL FIRM

##### DESCRIPTION OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE HYPOTHETICAL FIRM

The firm is assumed to be engaged in the machining and sales of alloy-cast-iron pipe fittings. The firm produces a full line of over two thousand pipe fittings in various sizes and designs. However, this case is confined to the inventory accounting and controls related to four products from the firm's total line. The four pipe fittings are assumed to constitute one distinct product line of the firm. This line is sold, in large lots, primarily to building contractors, the petroleum and chemical industry, and industrial equipment manufacturers. The four products selected are assumed to constitute



a material percentage of total annual sales volume. They are further assumed to be representative of the total product line of the firm for purposes of testing the inventory accounting system. A detailed cost build up of the four products is presented as Exhibit 1.

## DESCRIPTION OF THE RAW MATERIALS ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL SYSTEM

### Raw Materials Policies

All raw materials are carried on the company's records at standard cost. At year end, the raw materials account is adjusted to the lower of standard cost or market.

A perpetual inventory of raw material quantities on hand and on order is maintained by the production control department. This record is updated daily for raw material orders requisitioned, orders received from vendors and materials requisitioned into production.

A physical inventory is taken each year on September 30. The perpetual and financial records are adjusted to the physical inventory. The company relies upon financial records to provide an accurate account of inventory transactions between September 30 and the December 31 year end.

### Raw Materials Accounting and Control Procedures

Production control clerks review the raw material perpetual stock control records and production schedule each day. They prepare purchase order requisitions for raw materials. The size of an individual order depends upon many factors but rarely exceeds three hundred units. Company policy is to maintain approximately a two month's supply of raw material on hand at all times. This policy safeguards against raw material shortage and supply problems.

## EXHIBIT 1

## UNIT PRODUCT COST BUILDUP

	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4
<u>Direct Material</u>				
Type of material	R.M. 1	R.M. 2	R.M. 3	R.M. 4
Units required	1	1	1	1
Spoilage, scrap, shrinkage	0	0	0	0
Standard cost of material	<u>\$13.5000</u>	<u>\$16.7000</u>	<u>\$ 6.5000</u>	<u>\$ 8.000</u>
Total Direct Material/Unit	<u>\$13.5000</u>	<u>\$16.7000</u>	<u>\$ 6.5000</u>	<u>\$ 8.000</u>
<u>Direct Labor</u>				
Department I				
Standard dir. lbr. hrs./unit	.06 hr.	.09 hr.	.04 hr.	.06 hr.
Standard dir. lbr. rate	<u>\$6.20/hr.</u>	<u>\$6.20/hr.</u>	<u>\$6.20/hr.</u>	<u>\$6.20/hr.</u>
Total standard dir. lbr. charge	<u>\$ .3720</u>	<u>\$ .5580</u>	<u>\$ .2480</u>	<u>\$ .3720</u>
Department II				
Standard dir. lbr. hrs./unit	.04 hr.	.06 hr.	.04 hr.	.07 hr.
Standard dir. lbr. rate	<u>\$5.60/hr.</u>	<u>\$5.60/hr.</u>	<u>\$5.60/hr.</u>	<u>\$5.60/hr.</u>
Total standard dir. lbr. charge	<u>\$ .2240</u>	<u>\$ .3360</u>	<u>\$ .2240</u>	<u>\$ .3920</u>
Total Direct Labor/Unit	<u>\$ .5960</u>	<u>\$ .8940</u>	<u>\$ .4720</u>	<u>\$ .7640</u>
<u>Burden</u>				
Department I				
Standard dir. lbr. hrs/unit	.06 hr.	.09 hr.	.04 hr.	.06 hr.
Standard burden rate	<u>\$12.85/hr.</u>	<u>\$12.85/hr.</u>	<u>\$11.40/hr.</u>	<u>\$11.40/hr.</u>
Total standard burden charge	<u>\$ .7710</u>	<u>\$ 1.1565</u>	<u>\$ .4560</u>	<u>\$ .6840</u>
Department II				
Standard dir. lbr. hrs/unit	.04 hr.	.06 hr.	.04 hr.	.07 hr.
Standard burden rate	<u>\$51.55/hr.</u>	<u>\$51.55/hr.</u>	<u>\$44.05/hr.</u>	<u>\$44.05/hr.</u>
Total standard burden charge	<u>\$ 2.0620</u>	<u>\$ 3.0930</u>	<u>\$ 1.7620</u>	<u>\$ 3.0835</u>
Total Burden/Unit	<u>\$ 2.8330</u>	<u>\$ 4.2495</u>	<u>\$ 2.2180</u>	<u>\$ 3.7675</u>
Total Unit Standard Cost	<u>\$ 16.9290</u>	<u>\$ 21.8435</u>	<u>\$ 9.1900</u>	<u>\$ 12.5315</u>

Purchase order requisitions are prepared on a standardized two-copy form. The original copy is forwarded to the purchasing department and the second copy is filed in production control in a temporary-hold file. (See Figure 1)

The purchasing agents prepare the purchase orders from the purchase requisitions. A separate purchase order is prepared for each raw material order. The agent obtains standard material prices from the standard cost file maintained in the cost accounting department. The purchasing agent extends the purchase order and forwards it to a clerk who distributes the individual copies of the form and prepares the vendor copy for mailing. (See Figure 1)

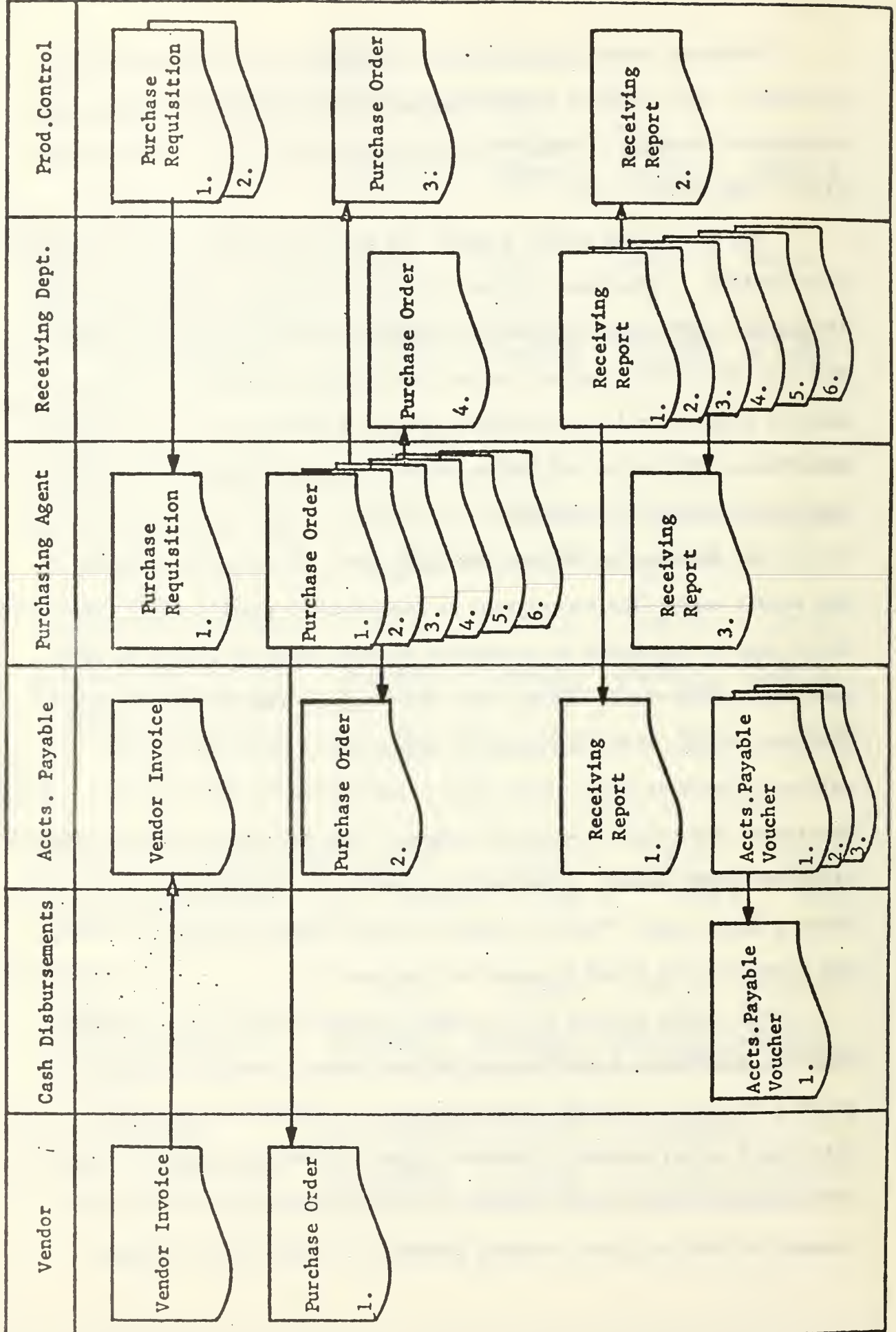
The purchase order is a six-copy form. The original copy is the vendor copy. The second copy is the accounts payable copy. The third copy is forwarded to production control where it serves as an open order file and is matched with the purchase requisition to confirm the order. The fourth copy of the purchase order is the receiving department copy. This copy is maintained by the receiving department and compared with the shipment when the order arrives. The fifth and sixth copies of the purchase order are filed in the purchasing department. The fifth copy is filed alphabetically by vendor. The sixth copy is filed in numerical sequence.

The orders shipped by the vendor foundries often vary slightly from the quantities stated on the purchase order. Vendor foundries produce the alloy castings especially for the company in accordance with rigid specifications. Vendors often experience considerable variation in production yields and have thus obtained permission from the company to ship all good castings produced. If quantities produced

FIGURE 1

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RAW MATERIAL PURCHASING AND RECEIVING





by the foundries vary by a material amount from quantities ordered by the company, however, the vendor foundry is expected to contact the company for special permission to ship. If shipment is permitted, the purchasing agent contacts the receiving department and the receiving copy of the purchase order is changed to reflect the special circumstances.

Receiving department personnel inspect and weigh-count all incoming raw material shipments. All local vendors make delivery via their own trucks. The exact quantity received for each shipment is determined by the receiving department personnel and the vendor company's truck driver at the time of delivery. The procedure has been agreed upon and followed by the company and its vendors for many years. All orders are shipped to the company in large wooden boxes supplied by the vendor. These boxes accompany the castings throughout the manufacturing process up to the point of transfer of completed castings to finished goods inventory. After castings are transferred to finished goods the boxes are returned to raw materials stores and are then picked up by the vendors' truck drivers from time to time.

Receiving department personnel prepare a six-copy, pre-numbered, receiving form for each order received. (See Figure 1) Receiving forms are prepared chronologically in numerical sequence. The following data are entered upon the six-copy receiving form:

1. Name of vendor
2. Purchase order reference number
3. Quantity ordered
4. Quantity received
5. Description of item
6. Part number of item
7. Date

8. Signature of checker
9. Signature of truck driver
10. Date signed by truck driver

The original number one copy of the receiving form is the accounts payable copy. The second copy is forwarded to production control for posting to the perpetual stock control records. The third copy of the receiving form is forwarded to the purchasing agent to confirm receipt of the order. The fourth copy of the receiving form is placed in a clear-plastic envelope and attached to the box containing the order. The fifth and sixth copy of the receiving form are filed in the receiving department. The fifth copy is filed alphabetically by vendor. The sixth copy is filed in numerical sequence.

After receiving and inspection are completed the raw material orders are moved to the raw materials storage area where they are stored until use. Orders are stored in their wooden shipping boxes in the raw materials storage area.

Accounts payable clerks match vendors' invoices with receiving reports, vendors' shippers, and the purchase order and voucher the invoice for payment. Standard costs noted on the purchase order are used in the vouchering operation. Inventory is charged at standard cost extended by the quantity actually received. Purchase price variances are recorded in an appropriate price variance account. Problems arising from a disagreement between the quantity of material received and quantity billed are charged or credited to detailed unsettled claims accounts at actual price. Claims are cleared by the purchasing department.

Production orders are issued to the foreman of the department

performing the first operation on the product. Orders are scheduled by production control one month in advance and released to foreman a week before production is scheduled to begin. Individual production orders vary from approximately 50 units to 250 units in size but average about one hundred fifty units. Orders larger than two hundred fifty units are rarely scheduled as they produce material handling problems on the shop floor.

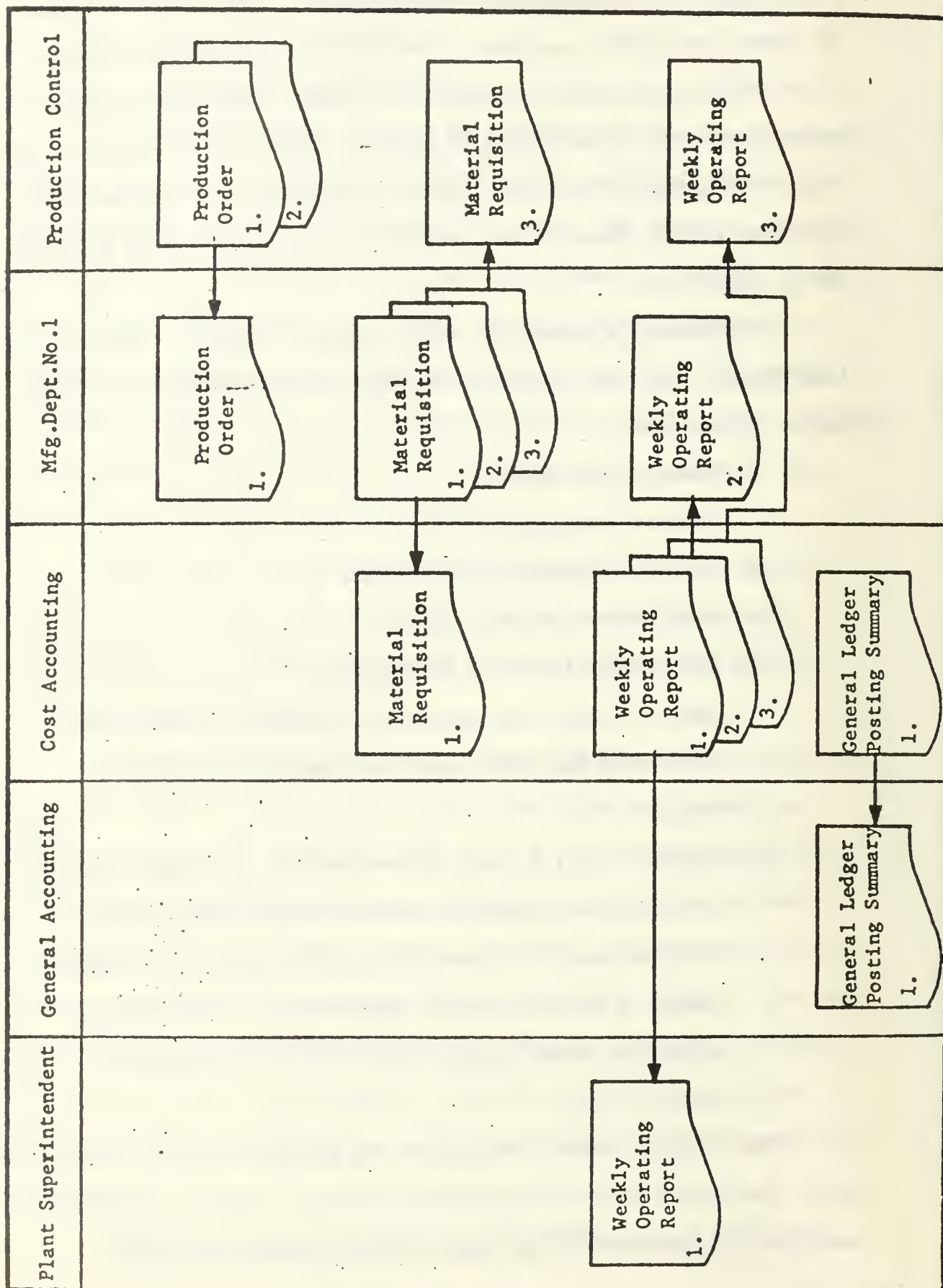
The company's production order is a pre-numbered, two-copy form (See Figure 2) All copies of the form provide spaces for the following information:

1. Product part number
2. Product description
3. Suggested number to be produced
4. Date production is to start
5. Date production is to be completed
6. Copy one only; four spaces are provided for the machine operator's employee number and the good castings produced.
7. Copy one only; a space is provided for the weigh-counter to record the quantity of good castings transferred to finished goods. A space is also provided for the weigh-counter's signature which specifies that the previous production count agrees closely with the weigh-count check.

The original number one copy of the production order is the shop copy. The second copy of the production order is filed in numerical sequence, by production order number, in the production control



## PRODUCTION ORDERS AND MATERIAL REQUISITIONS



department. The production order number and suggested production quantity is cross referenced to the perpetual stock control records.

The foreman of the department involved in the first operation on the product distributes the production orders to available operators in his department. At the time of distribution, the foreman and machine operator decide, in the light of the current shop-load situation, and the suggested production control quantity, the exact quantity of raw castings to requisition and machine. When the requisitioned materials arrive, the operator attaches the production order to the box which contains the raw castings. This box is used to move the castings throughout the shop up to the time the castings are transferred into the finished goods inventory. Each time a machine operator completes an order, he places his employee number and the quantity of good castings produced on the appropriate space of the production order form. Production orders are not split, but are maintained in tact throughout the production process.

Foremen of departments other than those involved in the first operation of a product are made aware of the status of the shop and incoming orders by a status report prepared by the production control department every other day.

The company does not maintain tight security over the raw materials storage area. There is no stores clerk and several raw materials handlers have access to the area at all times. Company rules specify that raw material storage is to be considered "off limits" for machine operators at all times. It is doubtful that the policy is very effective as no security fence or other protection devices have been installed.

A machine operator can requisition raw materials by preparing

a material requisition obtained from his department foreman. (See Figure 2) The raw material requisition is a three-copy, pre-numbered form. It contains spaces for the following information:

1. Type of material requisitioned
2. Quantity requisitioned
3. Quantity of good castings produced
4. Production order number
5. Date
6. Signature of employee
7. Signature of foreman
8. Signature of material handler

The operator completes the three-copy requisition for all of the above information except the quantity of good castings produced, signature of the foreman, and the signature of the material handler. After completing the form with the above information, the operator obtains the approval of the foreman. Upon obtaining approval, he presents the third copy of the requisition to a raw material handler who locates the material and moves it to the proper machine location. The machine operator checks the material located by the material handler for propriety. If agreement is reached between the material handler and the machine operator, the material handler signs all three copies of the material requisition and forwards the third copy to production control. Production control updates the perpetual stock control records for the raw material requisition and files the third copy of the requisition by production order.

If the machine operator completes the production order by the end of the day, he completes the original and second copy of the form

by filling in the actual quantity of good castings produced. He then places both copies of the form in a hopper in the foreman's office. If the machine operator does not complete the production order on the same day the material is requisitioned, he holds the first and second copy of the requisition form until the job is completed. When the production order is complete he fills in the actual production count and disposes of the form in the same manner previously described.

The foreman reviews the material requisition placed in a hopper by the machine operators. His review includes a reasonableness scan of all information included on the form and a verification of the recorded production count. The foreman signifies that he has completed his review by initialing the second copy of the form. He then files the number two copy in numerical sequence, by material requisition number.

The original copies of the material requisitions are collected each morning by a cost accounting clerk. Cost accounting personnel apply predetermined material cost and quantity standards to the requisitions using the standard cost file. Each day the cost accounting personnel batch the costed requisitions by department and file them until the end of the weekly reporting period. At the end of the reporting period the weekly production report and raw material journal entry are prepared from the batches of requisitions processed during the week. The raw materials account is credited at standard cost for the actual quantity of materials requisitioned.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK-IN-PROCESS ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL SYSTEM

##### Work-In-Process Policies

All work in process is carried on the company's records at standard cost. A perpetual inventory of the approximate number of



units-in-process is maintained by the production control department.

Company policy is to cease the production of new orders for one or two days prior to the September 30 physical inventory. This policy permits the producing departments to complete all units in process up to the point of transfer into finished goods. All completed units not physically transferred into finished goods at year end are physically counted and transferred by journal entry to the finished goods inventory account. Perpetual stock control records are adjusted to the physical count.

#### Work-In-Process Accounting and Control Procedures

All raw materials enter the production process at the beginning of the first productive operation. Accounting and control of raw materials is discussed in the raw materials section.

Direct labor and burden are applied to work-in-process inventory at standard cost for good units produced. Physical direct labor hour standards have been established by time-study and necessarily differ according to the product produced. Direct labor rates vary among the producing departments. A cost build up of the four products is presented as Exhibit 1.

Indirect labor is charged to overhead along with other manufacturing expenses. Overhead is applied to inventory on the basis of predetermined rates per standard direct labor hour charged to inventory. Burden rates vary depending upon the producing department and the product produced.

Machine operator's labor is handled as direct labor and charged directly to the respective departments. Labor efficiency and rate variances are calculated by operating department and summarized on the weekly

operating report.

Attendance timekeeping is supervised by the cost accounting department. All factory employees, except supervisory employees, are issued an employee number and are required to clock in and out of the plant. A cost accounting clerk supervises the time clock procedure and delivers the clock cards to the payroll department each morning after the clock-in procedure is completed.

Plant production timekeeping is also supervised by the cost accounting department. Direct labor is reported on job time tickets, which are maintained and prepared by the direct labor employees. Machine operators are the only employees reporting on a direct labor basis. The company's job time ticket is a three-copy form. (See Figure 3) The form is designed to include spaces for filling in the following information:

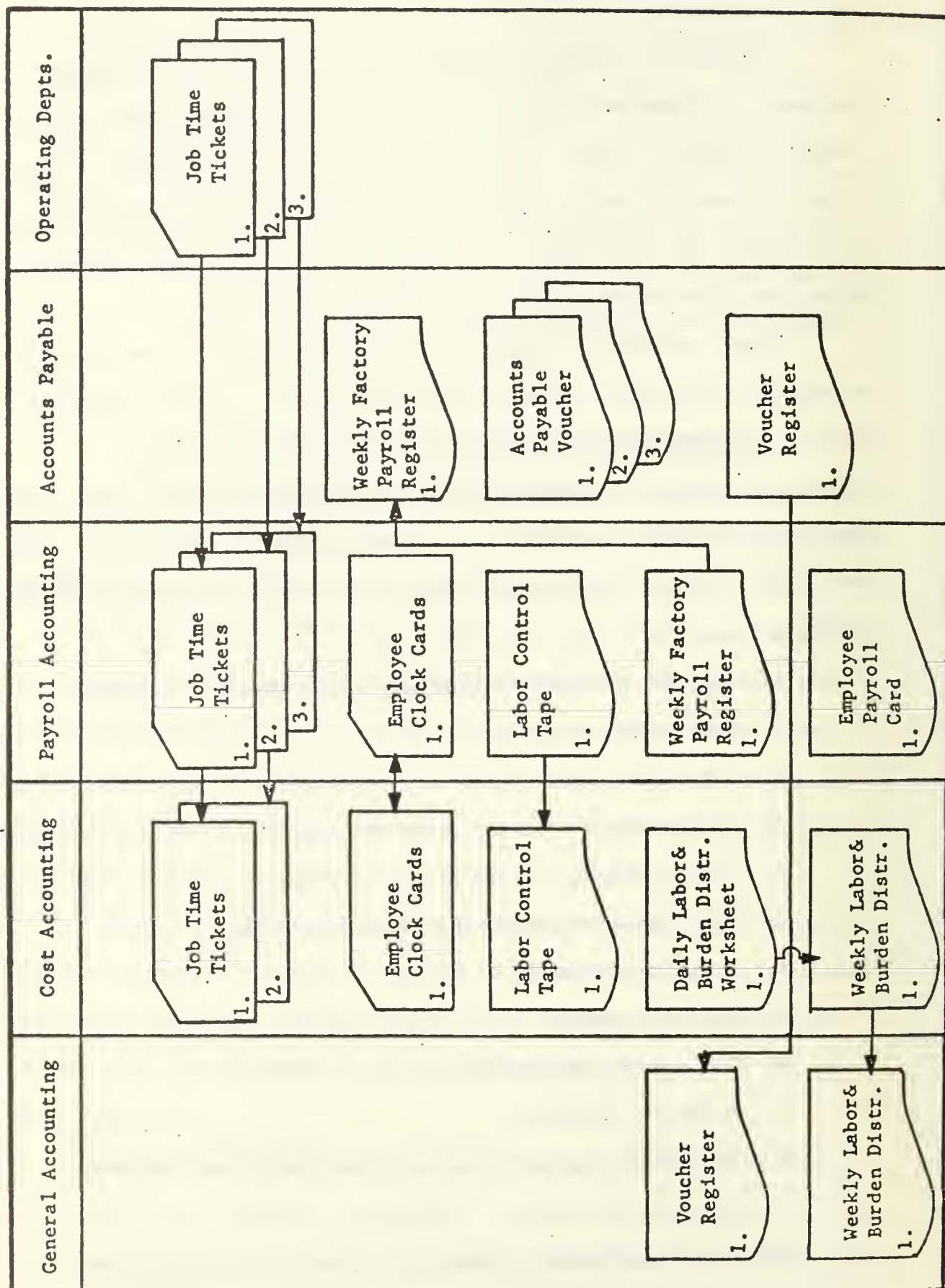
1. Employee number (the employee number includes a department number prefix)
2. Job ticket number
3. Time production on the order was started
4. Time production on the order was stopped
5. Total hours worked on the production order
6. Product part number
7. Operation number
8. Good pieces completed
9. Foreman's signature
10. Appropriate spaces for payroll and cost accounting computations

The job ticket number is always the same as the production

FIGURE 11-3

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## PLANT JOB TIMEKEEPING SYSTEM





order number. Multiple production orders cannot be reported on the same job time ticket. Some production orders, however, require more than one day to complete. In such cases multiple job tickets are prepared for the production order. When a production order is begun during a given day and not completed by quitting time, a job time ticket is prepared at the end of the day. An "I" is placed after the job ticket number to signify that the production order is incomplete. Subsequent job time tickets applying to this production order are distinguished by placing a dash after the job ticket number. The dash is followed by a digit which indicates the number of the job time tickets which have been filed on that particular production order. The last ticket of a series applying to a given production order is distinguished by a circle on the job ticket number.

Machine operators prepare a job time ticket for each production order they complete or for production completed on an order they are working on at the close of the day. The machine operator completes the form for the information included in points one, through eight of the above job time ticket description. The operator places the completed form in a hopper located on the foreman's desk. The foreman reviews the job time ticket for propriety and reviews the production count for reasonableness. The foreman signs the job ticket if he finds no exceptions. During the morning of the next business day, a clerk from cost accounting collects the authorized forms from the various department foremen and delivers them to the payroll department for processing.

The payroll department sorts the time tickets by employee and compares the total time charged by each employee to the total time noted

on the employee's clock card. Idle time is isolated. Then incentive earnings are computed and noted on each copy of the three copy job time ticket. The payroll clerk separates the third copy of the job time ticket form from the original and second copy. The top two copies are forwarded to cost accounting for further processing. The payroll department batches the third copy of the job time ticket by employee number. Total days earnings and idle time are noted on each batch of job tickets for future use in preparing the factory payroll. Control tapes of total earnings and idle time by department are prepared and used to reconcile to the daily labor distribution worksheet prepared by the cost accounting department.

Cost accounting clerks cost the job tickets for direct labor and burden by referencing the standard cost file.

Standards and extended charges and variances are noted on both the number one and number two copy of the job time ticket. The daily labor and burden distribution worksheet is updated after all the previous days job time tickets have been costed. Labor figures appearing on the distribution are reconciled to the daily labor control tape, prepared by the payroll department. At the end of the weekly reporting period, a weekly labor and burden distribution is prepared from the daily worksheet. The weekly distribution is reconciled to payroll department controls and forwarded to general accounting for posting to the financial records.

The original number one copy of the job ticket is sorted by department and filed by day. The number two copy is filed by job number. All number two copies applying to incomplete production orders are filed by job ticket number in a temporary file.

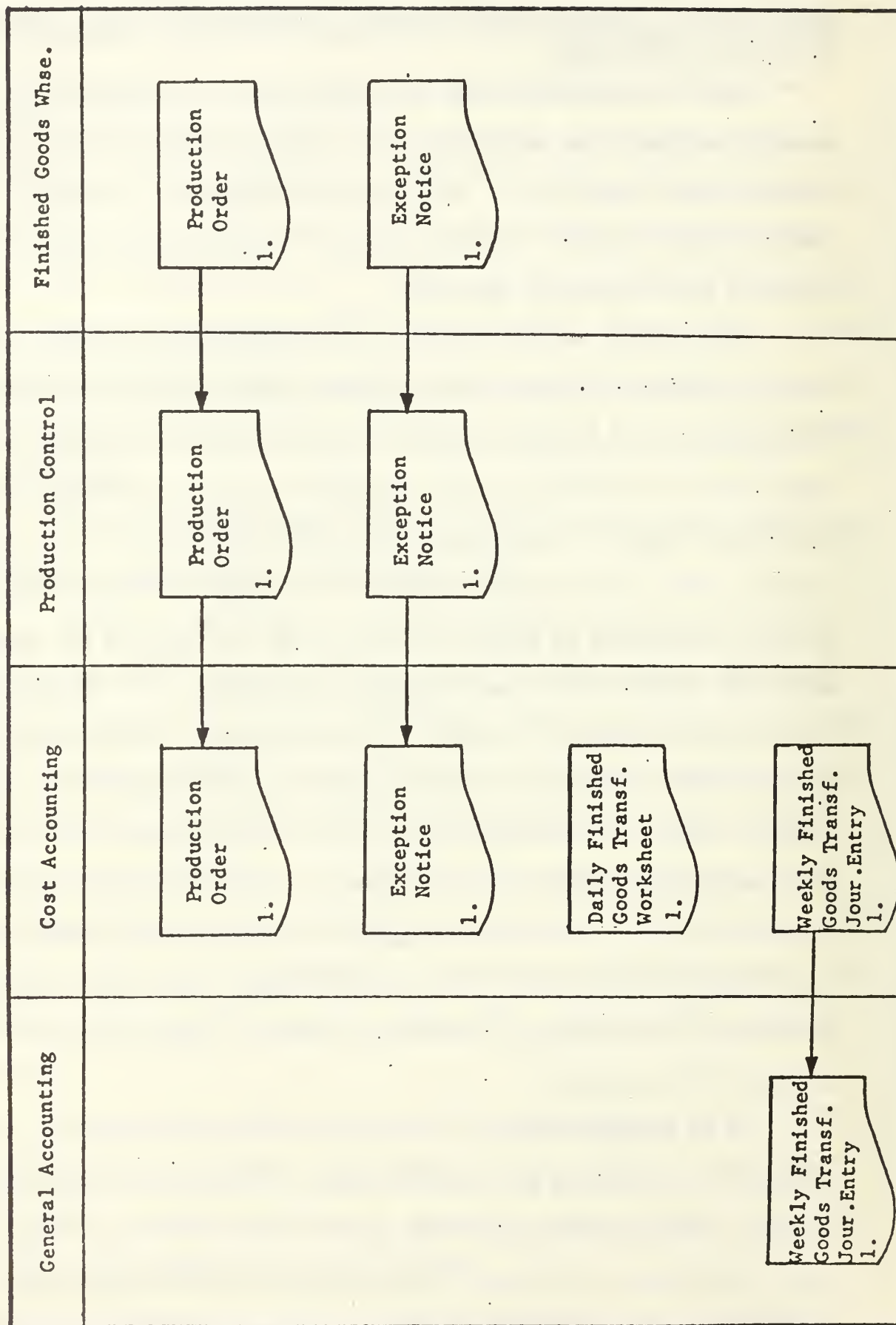
DESCRIPTION OF FINISHED GOODS TRANSFERS ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL SYSTEM;  
POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

After all operations have been completed on a production order, material handlers move the order to the weigh station located near the finished goods storage area. All production orders must be weigh-counted before transfer to finished goods. The weigh-count serves as a control over production reporting.

The material handler conducting the weigh-count operation verifies the production count on the production order attached to the wooden box containing the finished castings. If the weigh-count differs materially from the production count, the material handler conducting the weigh-count prepares an exception notice which he attaches to the production order. The production order and the attached exception notice are then transferred to production control and the order is set aside until the actual count is ascertained. (See Figure 4) If no material exception arises as a result of the weigh-count, the material handler signs the production report, dates it, and forwards it to production control. Production control updates the perpetual stock control records by subtracting the production order transferred from the work-in-process file, at the original suggested quantity, and by adding the actual quantity transferred to the finished goods stock control record. All entries to the unit stock control records are cross-referenced to production order numbers.

If an exception notice accompanies the production order, the exception is investigated and resolved before the perpetual records are updated. Employees from production control act as mediators between production foremen, operators, and the employee operating the weigh-station in resolving exception notices. The perpetual file is updated

FIGURE 4

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FINISHED GOODS TRANSFERS

for resolved correction notices in the same manner described for approved finished goods transfers.

After the perpetual records have been updated, production control stamps the production order and correction notices "transferred" and forwards them to the cost accounting department. Cost accounting personnel cost the transfer and prepare a daily transfer worksheet which recaps the day's transfers and exception notices processed. At the end of the weekly reporting period the worksheet is used to prepare the weekly finished goods inventory transfer journal entry. This entry is forwarded to general accounting for posting to the financial records.

#### RESULTS OF THE AUDITOR'S INTERNAL CONTROL REVIEW

It is assumed that the auditor's preliminary internal control review has been conducted and that audit tests of transactions have been performed on certain areas of the accounting system.<sup>1</sup> It is further assumed that the following strengths and weaknesses were noted during the internal control review of the raw materials, work-in-process, and transfers from work-in-process to finished goods areas.

#### STRONG POINTS NOTED DURING THE INTERNAL CONTROL REVIEW

1. General accounting controls and procedures are well designed. Audit tests of transactions in the general accounting area have been conducted. The system was found to be functioning as described. No weaknesses or irregularities were discovered in general accounting

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<sup>1</sup>The term internal control review refers to the auditor's preliminary assessment of the internal controls in effect. The internal control review is considered to include such auditing procedures as observation and inquiry but no testing of transactions. It is assumed that the results of the internal control review are summarized in memorandum form.



procedures related to inventory.

2. Cost accounting procedures and controls related to the preparation of general accounting inventory posting summaries, daily and weekly labor and burden distributions and attendance and shop timekeeping activities are well designed. Audit tests have been employed on these cost accounting processes and no irregularities were discovered.

3. Procedures and controls related to the maintenance of the perpetual stock control records were reviewed and tested. Controls are adequate and no exceptions were uncovered by the tests employed.

#### WEAKNESSES NOTED DURING THE INTERNAL CONTROL REVIEW

1. Discussions with plant personnel indicate that receiving and inspection personnel do not physically check all incoming shipments in accordance with company procedure. Receiving personnel are said to accept the vendor's count without question in many cases.

2. The company policy prohibiting machine operators from entering the raw materials stores area is not being followed. Three machine operators were sighted in the raw materials stores area during the internal control review. This situation represents a material weakness in control over production reporting. This weakness could permit employees to requisition excessive materials to cover spoilage and elevated production reporting. Under the present situation it is possible for machine operators to return excessive materials, used to conceal elevated production reporting, to stores without being noticed.

3. The standard cost file was scanned for general housekeeping propriety during the internal control review of cost accounting controls and procedures. The internal control review indicated that the file is in poor condition. For example, the reviewer found many standard cost

cards had been filed under incorrect product line categories. This situation could cause erroneous costing as similar products with similar physical characteristics and nearly identical part numbers carry different standard costs, depending on their product line.

The reviewer also noticed that cost clerks have revised standard cost cards by lining out the original typed standard figure and filling in the new standard with colored ink. In many instances several revisions have been made, and it is difficult to determine the proper authorized standard cost.

Current company procedures do not require that costing applications be double checked by a second employee. There is a very heavy costing workload. In general, the internal control review indicates that there is a material weakness in control over costing operations.

5. Current company procedures require the purchasing agent to consult the standard cost file in the preparation of raw material purchase orders. Company procedures should be changed to restrict access to the standard cost file solely to cost accounting personnel.

6. The internal control review tended to indicate that operating foremen do not maintain proper control over raw material requisitions. During the internal control review, stacks of blank material requisitions, all pre-signed by the respective foremen, were noted on the desks of two departmental foremen. Employees were observed taking forms from the stack at their discretion. The foremen involved could not produce number two file copies of the material requisitions for review. Current company procedure stipulates that foremen should review the quantity of material requisitioned for reasonableness in relation to the suggested production order size. This procedure is designed to allow the shop foremen and



machine operators some flexibility in determining the exact production order size in light of current shop floor status. The procedure also serves as a control over raw materials requisitioned and production reported. These factors contribute materially to weak control over production reporting.

7. The internal control review tended to indicate that foremen do not check production counts noted on the job time ticket in accordance with prescribed company procedure. This situation represents an additional threat to control over production reporting.

8. Observations and inquiries conducted during the internal control review indicated that the material handler, who conducts the weigh-count operation on stock transferred to finished goods, does not perform his duties in accordance with prescribed company procedures. Pressure from machine operators is said to have caused him to become somewhat lax in his duties.

## DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPUTER SIMULATION MODEL OF THE INVENTORY ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL SYSTEM

### INTRODUCTION TO THE SIMULATION MODEL OF THE SYSTEM

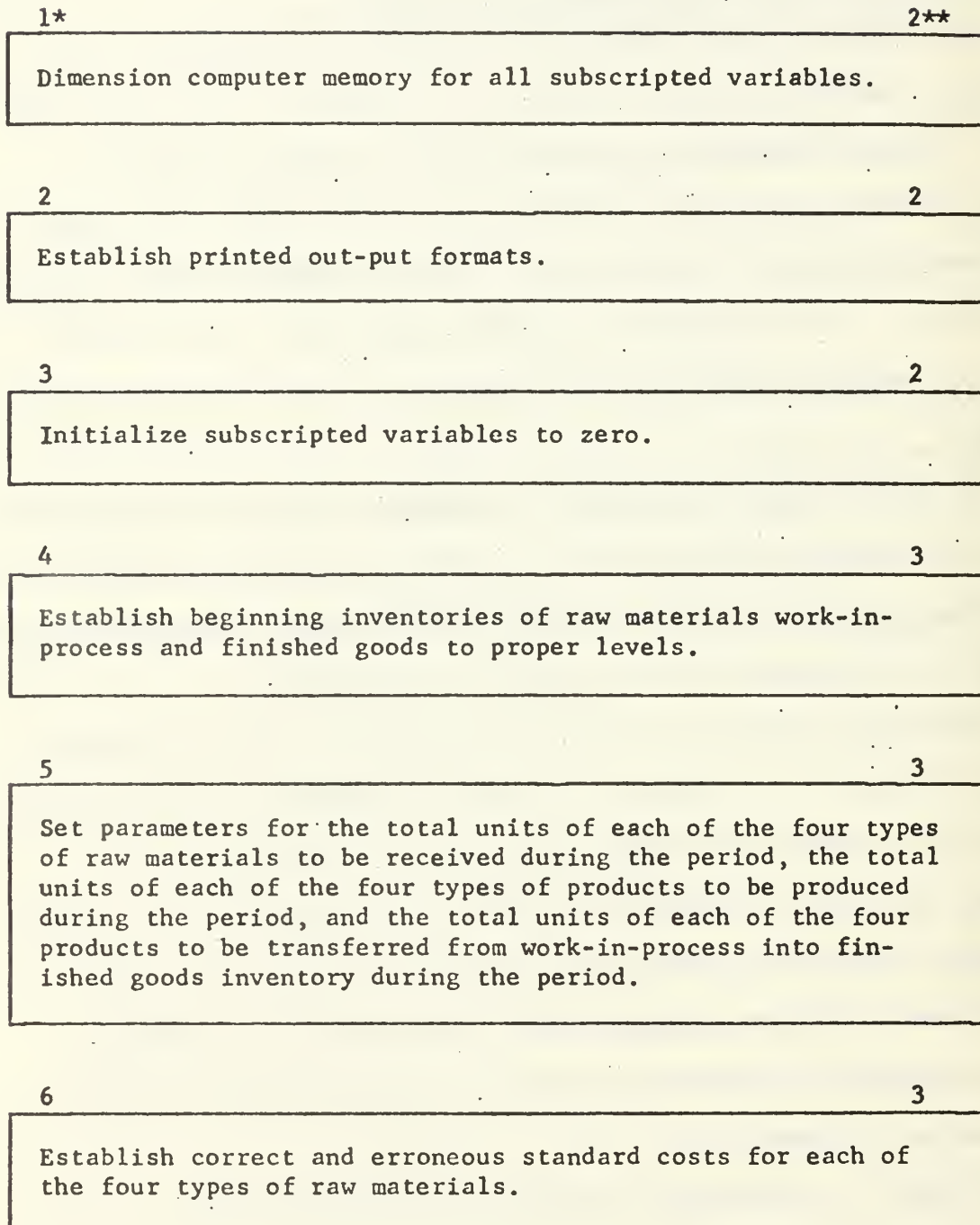
The simulation model is designed to represent the activity of the inventory accounting and control system as described over a nine-month time period. The model design incorporates the internal control weaknesses as assumed and described in the preceding section of this paper. These weaknesses are incorporated in such a manner that they cause the model to generate and to process various accounting documents erroneously. This, in turn, causes the computer simulation model to generate unreliable ending inventory balances.

The computer simulation program is designed to print out summaries of all of that detailed information which is needed to perform audit tests of the transactions processed by the system simulation model. Detailed descriptions of this information are given later in this paper.

A brief description of the operational characteristics of the model is given in Figure 5. Figure 5 is cross-referenced to a more detailed procedural flow chart of the model which appears in Appendix A. The procedural flow chart in Appendix A is further cross-referenced to a copy of the computer simulation program which also appears in Appendix B. The variable names, operating characteristics and parameters of the computer simulation program are described in detail in a variable name dictionary also presented in Appendix C.

As Figure 5 indicates, the scope of the model has been

FIGURE 5

OPERATIONAL FLOW CHART OF THE SYSTEM  
SIMULATION MODEL

\* Description reference number for this flow chart.

\*\* Cross reference to description reference number of detailed procedural flow chart of Appendix A.

FIGURE 5 Con't.

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Establish correct and erroneous material, labor, burden, and total unit standard costs for each of the four types of products to be produced.

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Initialize work-in-process material, labor, and burden accumulators to zero.

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Set parameters establishing the mean and standard deviation of shipment sizes for each of the four types of raw materials to be received. Shipment sizes are assumed to be normally distributed.

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Generate the number of units shipped for each individual raw material shipment from a normal distribution in accordance with the shipment size parameters previously established. For each type of raw material, continue to generate individual shipments until the accumulated total number shipped, of each of the four types of raw materials, equals the respective parameter limiting the total units to be received during the period.

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Simulate the preparation of the receiving form by the receiving and inspection department by processing each shipment previously generated. Cause errors to occur in the recording of the quantity of goods received on the receiving form.

## FIGURE 5 Con't.

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Print the SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS.

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Simulate the procedures employed by the purchasing agent in applying raw material price standards to the purchase order. Cost each receiving report previously generated and cause errors to occur in the application of raw material price standards. Maintain a CONTROL record over the errors generated by the receiving and inspection operation and the costing operation by applying correct standard material costs to original shipments previously generated.

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Extend the quantity received, recorded on each receiving report, by the standard material cost previously generated. Update the REPORTED raw material inventory by adding the accumulated amount of all extended receiving forms processed to the beginning raw material inventory. Extend all shipments received by the appropriate correct standard material cost. Update the CONTROL raw material inventory by adding the accumulated amount of all extended receiving forms processed to the beginning raw material inventory CONTROL record.

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Print the LISTING OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED; PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST.

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Generate the number of units actually produced for each production order processed during the period. The size of production orders is assumed to follow a normal distribution with mean of 150 units and at standard deviation of 35 units. For each of the four types of products, production orders are generated until the accumulated quantity produced equals the previously established parameter limiting the total units to be produced during the period.



FIGURE 5 Con't.

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Simulate the preparation of job time tickets applying to each production order. Reprocess each production order quantity, previously generated, and generate production counts for Department I and Department II applicable to the production order. The simulation process is designed to overstate some production counts generated. These errors occur in accordance with pre-defined probability distributions. The production counts generated are assumed to be those noted on the job time tickets prepared by Department I and Department II.

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18,19,23,24  
25,30,31,32

Simulate the procedures employed by the cost accounting department in applying labor and burden standards to the job time tickets. Direct labor and burden standards are applied to each job time ticket. Errors occur in the application of standards in accordance with pre-defined probability distributions. Maintain a CONTROL record over the errors generated by the production count operation and the costing operation by applying appropriate correct labor and burden standards to the production orders previously generated.

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Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory for labor and burden charges resulting from the processing of job time tickets generated for Departments I and II. This is accomplished by extending the reported production count on each job time ticket by the labor and burden standards applied and accumulating the extended labor and burden charges for all time tickets processed. Update the CONTROL work-in-process inventory in a similar manner by extending the actual production quantities generated for each production order by correct standard costs.

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Print the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD for Departments I and II.

FIGURE 5 Con't.

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Generate actual material usage for each production order manufactured during the period. Actual material usage is assumed to equal target for the actual quantity produced for each production order. No scrap or spoilage is assumed to occur.

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Generate the quantity of raw materials requisitioned for each production order manufactured during the period. This quantity is always the same as the production count recorded by Department I. It is assumed that excessive raw materials are requisitioned and used to cover overstated production reporting. Excessive materials not used in production are assumed to be returned to raw material stores by the machine operators. These returns are unauthorized.

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Simulate the procedures employed by the cost accounting department in applying raw material standards to raw material requisitions. Errors occur in the application of standards to material requisitions in accordance with pre-defined probability distributions. Maintain a CONTROL record over the errors caused by faulty reporting of quantities of raw material used in production and the application of erroneous standard costs. Apply correct raw material standards to the actual raw material usage figures previously generated.

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Update the REPORTED raw materials and work-in-process inventories by accumulating the extended quantity of raw materials requisitioned for each production order. This process assumes that machine operators in Department I always report production counts equal to the number of units of material they requisition for an order. Update the CONTROL raw materials and work-in-process inventories by accumulating the extended CONTROL quantity of materials used to produce each production order.



## FIGURE 5 Con't.

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Print the MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY.

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49,50,51,52,61,69

Simulate the weigh-count operations involved in transferring production orders from work-in-process inventory to finished goods. Process and transfer all production orders-in-process, for each of the four types of products, up to the point where the accumulated total units of each product actually transferred equals the limit established for the total units to be transferred during the period. The remaining units not transferred are assumed to be fully complete but not formally transferred. Erroneous reporting in the weigh-count operation is simulated by transferring all production orders, not containing a production miscount of more than 20 units, at the erroneous production count figures. All orders containing a production count error in excess of 20 units are adjusted to the correct count and then transferred.

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55,56,63,64

Simulate the cost accounting procedures employed in applying standard costs to production orders transferred to finished goods. Errors occur in the application of standard costs to production orders transferred in accordance with pre-defined probability distributions. Errors also occur in adjusting for production count errors noted by the weigh-count operation. Work-in-process material, labor and burden accounts are adjusted as if the total production count error originated in Department I. Maintain a CONTROL record over the errors caused by faulty production reporting and cost accounting operations by applying the correct standard cost to the actual quantity of goods transferred for each production order.

## FIGURE 5 Con't.

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56,57,58,59,64  
65,66,67,70,71

Update the REPORTED work-in-process and finished goods inventories by accumulating the unreliable extended value of the goods reported as transferred on each production order. Work-in-process inventory is credited for material labor, and burden and finished goods is charged with full standard cost. Adjustments are also made for production count errors noted by the weigh-count operation.

Update the CONTROL work-in-process and finished goods inventories by accumulating the CONTROL extended value of the actual units transferred.

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Print the SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS.

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Print FINAL SUMMARY REPORT.

restricted to activity related to the four products and their respective component raw materials previously selected for audit testing purposes. The total nine-months activity for these items is summarized in Exhibits 2, 3, and 5.

Most of the nine-month activity total figures presented in Exhibits 2, 3 and 5 have been treated as parameters of the system simulation model. How these figures serve as parameters of the model is best explained in the context of a specific example.

As is explained in detail in the subsequent section of this paper which deals with the model's operating characteristics, the model has been designed to generate, internally, individual raw material shipments. Each shipment generated contains a specified quantity of one of the four types of raw materials. For the case of each of the four types of raw material, the model is designed to continue the generation of individual shipments until the accumulated total quantity of units shipped generated equals the respective "units received during the period" figure given in Exhibit 2.

Many of the other figures which appear in Exhibits 2, 3 and 5 have also been treated as parameters of the model in similar manner. The specific figures which have been treated as parameters will be mentioned in the following sections of this paper.

#### MAJOR ASSUMPTIONS OF THE SIMULATION MODEL OF THE SYSTEM

As Figure 5 illustrates, the focus of the simulation model is the preparation and processing of individual raw material receiving forms, raw material requisition forms, job time tickets, and production orders. Accounting procedures and processes related to the preparation and processing of such documents as posting summaries, journal entries,

EXHIBIT 2

RAW MATERIALS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

IN TERMS OF UNITS AND AT STANDARD COST

	Raw Material Number 1	Raw Material Number 2	Raw Material Number 3	Raw Material Number 4
<u>Raw Materials Inventories and Activity; in Terms of Units</u>				
Units in beginning inventory	8,000	8,000	7,000	6,500
Units received during the period	<u>40,000</u>	<u>34,000</u>	<u>34,000</u>	<u>32,000</u>
Units to be accounted for	48,000	42,000	41,000	38,500
Units issued into production	<u>33,600</u>	<u>33,000</u>	<u>33,000</u>	<u>28,900</u>
Units in ending inventory	<u>14,400</u>	<u>9,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>9,600</u>
<u>Raw Materials Inventories and Activity; at Standard Cost</u>				
Raw Material unit price standard	\$ 13.50	\$ 16.70	\$ 6.50	\$ 8.00
Beginning Inventory	108,000	133,600	45,500	52,000
Raw Material received during the period	<u>540,000</u>	<u>567,800</u>	<u>221,000</u>	<u>256,000</u>
Raw Material to be accounted for	\$ 648,000	\$ 701,400	\$ 266,500	\$ 308,000
Raw Material issued into production	<u>453,600</u>	<u>551,100</u>	<u>214,500</u>	<u>231,200</u>
Ending inventory	<u>\$ 194,400</u>	<u>\$ 150,300</u>	<u>\$ 52,000</u>	<u>\$ 76,800</u>





## EXHIBIT 3

WORK-IN-PROCESS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

IN TERMS OF UNITS AND AT FULL STANDARD COST

	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4
Units in beginning inventory	0	0	0	0
Units placed into process during the period	<u>33600</u>	<u>33000</u>	<u>33000</u>	<u>28900</u>
Units to be accounted for	33600	33000	33000	28900
Units transferred to finished goods inventory during the period	<u>30280</u>	<u>30964</u>	<u>29777</u>	<u>21719</u>
Units in ending inventory	<u>3320</u>	<u>2036</u>	<u>3223</u>	<u>7181</u>

Work-In-Process Inventories and Activity  
In Terms of Units

EXHIBIT 3 (Continued)

WORK-IN-PROCESS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

IN TERMS OF UNITS AND AT FULL STANDARD COST

Work-In-Process Inventories and Activity  
at Standard Cost

	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4	Total for All Four Products
Unit std. cost of product	\$ 16.9290	\$ 21.8435	\$ 9.1900	\$ 12.5315	
Beginning inventory	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Production charges to W.I.P. during the period	<u>568,814.40</u>	<u>720,835.50</u>	<u>303,270.00</u>	<u>362,160.35</u>	<u>1,955,080.25</u>
Total std. cost to be accounted for	\$568,814.40	\$720,835.50	\$303,270.00	\$362,160.35	\$1,955,080.25
Total std. cost of units transferred to finished goods during the period	<u>512,610.12</u>	<u>676,362.13</u>	<u>273,650.63</u>	<u>272,171.65</u>	<u>1,734,794.53</u>
Ending inventory	<u>\$ 56,204.28</u>	<u>\$ 44,473.37</u>	<u>\$ 29,619.37</u>	<u>\$ 89,988.70</u>	<u>\$ 220,285.72</u>

## EXHIBIT 4

## WORK-IN-PROCESS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

## IN TERMS OF MATERIAL, LABOR AND BURDEN CONTENT

	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4	Total for All Four Products
Beginning Inventory	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Direct material charged to W.I.P.	453,600.00	551,100.00	214,500.00	231,200.00	1,450,400.00
Direct labor charged to W.I.P.	20,025.60	29,502.00	15,576.00	22,079.60	87,183.20
Burden applied to W.I.P.	95,188.80	140,233.50	73,194.00	108,880.75	417,497.05
Total charges to W.I.P. for production during the period	\$ 568,814.40	\$ 720,835.50	\$ 303,270.00	\$ 362,160.35	\$ 1,955,080.25
Direct material content of finished goods transferred	\$ 408,780.00	\$ 517,098.80	\$ 193,550.50	\$ 173,752.00	\$ 1,293,181.30
Direct labor content of finished goods transferred	18,046.88	27,681.82	14,054.74	16,593.32	76,376.76
Burden content of finished goods transferred	85,783.24	131,581.52	66,045.39	81,826.33	365,236.48
Total std. cost of finished goods transferred	\$ 512,610.12	\$ 676,362.14	\$ 273,650.63	\$ 272,171.65	\$ 1,734,794.54

# EXHIBIT 4 (Continued)

WORK-IN-PROCESS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

IN TERMS OF MATERIAL, LABOR AND BURDEN CONTENT

	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4	Total for All Four Products
Direct material content of ending inventory	\$ 44,820.00	\$ 34,001.20	\$ 20,949.50	\$ 57,448.00	\$ 157,218.70
Direct labor content of ending inventory	1,978.72	1,820.18	1,521.26	5,486.28	10,806.44
Burden content of ending inventory	9,405.56	8,651.98	7,148.61	27,054.42	52,260.57
Total standard cost of ending inventory	\$ 56,204.28	\$ 44,473.36	\$ 29,619.37	\$ 89,988.70	\$ 220,285.71

## EXHIBIT 5

## FINISHED GOODS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

## IN TERMS OF UNITS AND AT FULL STANDARD COST

	<u>Product Number 1</u>	<u>Product Number 2</u>	<u>Product Number 3</u>	<u>Product Number 4</u>
Units in beginning inventory	4,000	4,500	6,000	5,000
Units transferred into finished goods from work-in-process during the period	<u>30,280</u>	<u>30,964</u>	<u>29,777</u>	<u>21,719</u>
Units available for sale during the period	34,280	35,464	35,777	26,719
Units sold and shipped during the period	<u>30,600</u>	<u>31,000</u>	<u>29,000</u>	<u>21,500</u>
Units in ending inventory	<u>3,680</u>	<u>4,464</u>	<u>6,777</u>	<u>5,219</u>

Finished Goods Inventories and Activity  
in Terms of Units



EXHIBIT 5 (Continued)

FINISHED GOODS INVENTORIES AND ACTIVITY FOR THE NINE MONTH PERIOD ENDED SEPT. 30;

IN TERMS OF UNITS AND AT FULL STANDARD COST

Finished Goods Inventories and Activity at Standard Cost	Product Number 1	Product Number 2	Product Number 3	Product Number 4	Total for All Four Products
Unit standard cost of product	\$ 16.9290	\$ 21.8435	\$ 9.1900	\$ 12.5315	
Beginning inventory	\$ 67,716.00	\$ 98,295.75	\$ 55,140.00	\$ 62,657.50	\$ 283,809.25
Standard cost of units transferred into finished goods from work-in- process during the period	512,610.12	676,362.13	273,650.63	272,171.65	1,734,794.53
Standard cost of units available for sale during the period	\$580,326.12	\$ 774,657.88	\$ 328,790.63	\$ 334,829.15	\$2,018,603.78
Standard cost of units sold during the period	518,027.40	677,148.50	266,510.00	269,427.25	1,731,113.15
Ending inventory	\$ 62,298.72	\$ 97,509.38	\$ 62,280.63	\$ 65,401.90	\$ 287,490.63

recap worksheets, control tapes, and ledger accounts are not represented by the model. These documents are ignored as it is assumed that they are accurately prepared. This assumption is in agreement with the assumed results of the preliminary internal control review discussed in the preceding section of this paper.

Procedures and controls related to the sales and withdrawal of finished goods inventory are also assumed to present no threat to the reliability of the inventory balances generated by the system. Thus, all of the accounting processes related to the sales and withdrawal of finished goods inventory are assumed to operate in an error-free manner. This assumption eliminates the necessity of a detailed representation of the above accounting processes in the model. Instead, the model treats total withdrawals for the nine-month period as a parameter and makes one adjustment to finished goods available for sale for the entire period's sales. Total withdrawals from finished goods inventory for the nine-month period for each of the four products is shown in Exhibit 5. If the above assumption had not been made, it would have been necessary to include all of the detailed procedures related to the sales and withdrawal of finished goods inventory in the design of the model. These additional detailed procedures would have caused the resultant model descriptions to be unreasonably long.

The model is designed on the assumption that all productive activity during the period actually takes place at perfect predetermined standard levels and that no manufacturing cost accounting variances actually arise. This assumption is merely arbitrary and is not crucial to the purpose of this case.

Other assumptions of the model will be introduced in the context of the following sections which describe the operating characteristics of the model. This will be done for further clarification.

#### THE OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SIMULATION MODEL

Most of the unreliable processes assumed to result from weaknesses in internal control, are represented in the model as stochastic (probabilistic) processes. These stochastic processes are designed either to cause the model to generate production reporting errors or to apply, erroneously, incorrect standard costs to various documents generated by the model. The computer simulation program is designed to maintain a dual accounting record of each transaction processed. One record is maintained of the data subjected to, or generated by, the unreliable stochastic processes. These data will be referred to as the "REPORTED" data. A second record is maintained as a control. The data included in the control record is always correctly processed. It never includes any error. These data will be referred to as the "CONTROL" data. Detailed descriptions of the stochastic processes incorporated in the model are included in the variable name dictionary which appears in Appendix C.

#### Raw Material Shipments and Units Produced for a Given Production Order

Raw material shipments and units produced for a given production order are treated as external inputs (exogenous variables) to the model. As Figure 5 indicates, the computer simulation program generates normally distributed individual shipments for all four raw materials. The program is designed to continue the generation of individual shipments until the accumulated total quantity shipped, for each raw material,

equals the pre-established total quantity to be received for the nine-month period. The total quantity to be received for the period for each raw material is treated as a parameter of the model and is shown in Exhibit 2.

The number of units produced for a given production order are also generated by the simulation program in a manner similar to that described for raw material shipments. The major difference is that units produced on a given production order are generated, one production order at a time, then further processed; whereas all shipments are generated before further processing begins. This fact is not clearly indicated by Figure 5 but it is shown in the procedural flow chart of the model which appears in Appendix A.

The quantity of raw materials included in each shipment and the number of units produced for a given production order are assumed to follow normal distributions with specified means and standard deviations. The means and standard deviations are treated as parameters of the model. The means and standard deviations of the various normal distributions incorporated in the model are presented in Exhibit 6.

The computer simulation program generates normally distributed random variates by using the Monte Carlo<sup>2</sup> technique. The computer program carries out the Monte Carlo process by generating a random variate from a standard normal distribution using the following direct approach:<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>The Monte Carlo technique is a procedure for generating a sequence of random observations from a specified probability distribution, given a sequence of uniformly distributed random numbers. The uniformly distributed random numbers fall between the limits of zero and one. A more detailed explanation of the Monte Carlo method is presented in Van Court Hare, Jr., System Analysis: A Diagnostic Approach, (New York, New York: Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc., 1967), pp. 377-87.

<sup>3</sup>Thomas H. Naylor, Joseph L. Balintly, Donald S. Burdick, and Kong Chu, Computer Simulation Techniques, (New York: John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 1966), p. 95.

## EXHIBIT 6

THE MEANS AND STANDARD DEVIATIONS OF THE  
NORMAL DISTRIBUTIONS USED FOR THE RAW  
MATERIAL SHIPMENT AND UNITS PRODUCED ON A  
PRODUCTION ORDER  
GENERATORS

	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Standard Deviation</u>
Raw Material Shipments:		
Raw Material Number 1	200	25
Raw Material Number 2	180	30
Raw Material Number 3	200	25
Raw Material Number 4	180	30
Units Produced on a Production Order:		
Product Number 1	150	35
Product Number 2	150	35
Product Number 3	150	35
Product Number 4	150	35



$$X1 = (-2 \times \log_e a)^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \cosine (2 \times b)$$

Where:

$X1$  = a random variate from a standard normal distribution and,  $a$  and  $b$  = pseudo-random numbers between 0 and 1.

The computer program then converts the random variate ( $X1$ ) from the standard normal form to the normal form with the desired mean and standard deviation by using the following formula:

$$X = (X1 \times \sigma) + u$$

Where:

$X1$  = a random variate from a standard normal distribution and,  $X$  = the desired random variate from the desired normal distribution and,  $\sigma$  = the specified standard deviation of the desired normal distribution, established as a parameter of the model and,  $u$  = the desired mean of the desired normal distribution established as a parameter of the model.

### Receiving and Inspection Operations

The model is designed to simulate receiving and inspection operations by generating a receiving and inspection count for each raw material shipment created. Weaknesses in internal control over receiving and inspection operations are incorporated in the design of the model and result in the recording of unreliable receiving and inspection counts. The unreliable counting process is represented by stochastic processes designed into the model. The computer simulation program uses the Monte Carlo technique to determine whether or not a given shipment is to be erroneously recorded. The stochastic process is designed in such a manner that each shipment processed has a twenty-five per cent chance of being erroneously recorded on the receiving and inspection form. When the computer simulation program determines that an error is to occur on a

given shipment, it understates the receiving and inspection count by an amount equal to ten per cent of the correct quantity shipped. This process is not designed to represent all the complex nuances which might surround a given receiving and inspection operation in a real world situation. It is designed to represent the central tendency of a receiving and inspection department to understate recorded receipts because assumed employees are lax in performing physical test counts of all shipments received. This tendency certainly exists in a great many systems in the real world. A detailed explanation of the operating characteristics of the model related to the receiving and inspection operations is given in the variable name dictionary which appears in Appendix C.

#### Production Reporting of Units Produced

The inventory accounting and control system, described in the beginning of this paper, requires machine operators to record production counts of good units produced for each production order processed. These production counts are recorded on the raw material requisition, job time tickets and the number one copy of the production order applying to the particular production order being processed. As explained in the internal control review section of this paper, internal control over production reporting is assumed to be quite lax. Lax control over production counting procedures is considered in the design of the simulation model. This poor control is assumed to result in overstatements of production counts in Departments I and II. This situation is represented in the simulation model by stochastic processes.

The computer simulation program uses the Monte Carlo technique to determine which production orders are to be erroneously reported by the producing departments.

The stochastic process applying to Department I is designed in such a manner that each production order processed by Department I has a fifteen per cent chance of being recorded erroneously. When the simulation program determines that an error is to occur in the recording of a production count in Department I, it overstates the production count by ten per cent of the actual quantity produced.

The production reporting system described in the first part of this paper requires that the production counts of Department I be recorded on the number one copy of the original production order. This copy of the production order is attached to the units being produced. This number one copy of the production order follows the units throughout the manufacturing process. Erroneous production counts, recorded by Department I are assumed to be noted on this traveling production order. Thus, approximately fifteen per cent of the traveling orders are assumed to enter Department II with an overstated Department I production count written on the traveling production order. The simulation model is designed under the assumption that employees of Department II cover-up for overstatements made by employees of Department I. When an overstated production order enters Department II, the employees do not correct the Department I count. The Department II employees report the overstated Department I count as the Department II count. In the case of those orders not overstated by Department I, however, overstatements may arise in Department II.

The stochastic process applying to Department II is designed in such a manner that each production order (except those orders on which errors occurred in Department I) has an eight per cent chance of being erroneously reported. When the computer simulation program determines

that an error is to occur, it overstates the Department II production count by five per cent of the quantity actually produced.

The stochastic processes representing unreliable production reporting in Departments I and II are not designed to take into account all of the variables which might contribute to unreliable production reporting in a real world situation. The processes are designed to represent the central tendency of a system to overstate production counts given the assumed weaknesses in control." Machine operators are assumed to be prone to overstate production to achieve higher incentive wages and favorable labor efficiency variances. The model assumes that direct labor is always charged to the job at the target amount for the actual units produced. Thus, overstatements in the quantity reported as produced causes favorable labor efficiency variances to arise. As previously mentioned, the model does not maintain a record of the variances arising over the period. It is strictly concerned with accounting for inventory at standard costs. Overstated production counts therefore result in erroneous, overstatements of inventory.

#### Production Reporting; Material Requisitions

As indicated in Figure 5, the simulation model also includes processes which are assumed to represent the results of lax control exercised over the preparation and processing of raw material requisitions and the poor physical controls exercised over the raw materials storage area.

The simulation model is designed under the assumption that Department I machine operators always report a production count which is equal to the quantity of raw materials they requisition and receive for a production order. However, the model is further designed so that,



in the case of some production orders, it causes the machine operators actually to produce less units than they report. Where this occurs, an overstated production count results. It is assumed that machine operators are motivated to overstate production counts in order to achieve more favorable operating reports and higher incentive wages.

If a machine operator were to overstate production counts in accordance with the previously described procedure, the overstatement might be noticed by management because the machine operator would possess excessive raw materials. For the case of the hypothetical system and the system simulation model, it is assumed that machine operators conceal overstated production counts by returning the resultant excessive, unused raw materials to the raw materials storage area. The returns of excessive raw material are assumed to be unauthorized and not recorded on the firm's financial records. This violation of procedure can occur because (a) the Department I foreman does not check closely the recorded production counts, (b) poor control is exercised over the raw materials storage area, and (c) the weigh-count operation is not properly conducted.

A detailed description of the operating characteristics related to the processing of raw material requisitions is given in the variable name dictionary which appears in Appendix C. A detailed description of the manner in which the computer simulation program processes raw material requisitions is given in the procedural flow chart of Appendix A.

#### Production Reporting; Finished Goods Transfers

As indicated in Figure II-5, the computer simulation program transfers production orders, for each of the four products, from work-in-process to finished goods inventory. It accomplishes this work by



processing all the production orders for one product classification before proceeding to the next. For each of the four product classifications, the program chronologically transfers production orders until the control record of the accumulated total units transferred equals the pre-established total number of units to be transferred during the nine-month period. The specified limit for the total units transferred during the period is treated as a parameter of the model. This total number of units is given, for each of the four products, in Exhibit

3. All units not transferred are considered to be complete through Department II and are valued at full standard cost.

The simulation model is designed to represent the poor control exercised over finished goods transfers. The model transfers all production orders, except those overstated by more than twenty units, at the reported Department II production count figure. (As previously mentioned, however, the model uses control figures to determine the number of orders to be transferred.) Those production orders overstated by more than twenty units are corrected by the model to the actual control count. This process assumes that the weigh-count operator only corrects those production counts which are overstated by more than twenty units. He is assumed to be lax in correcting production count errors less than 21 units as machine operators are assumed to exert pressure on him when they are unable to overstate production counts.

The model representation of the transfer process is based upon one further assumption. The machine operators in Department II are assumed to change, obscure, or mutilate the traveling production order in those cases where the reported Department II production count exceeds the production count reported in Department I. This situation eliminates obvious

production count discrepancies and makes overstatements less apparent to the weigh-count operator. As the production counts noted on the number one copy of the production order are not compared to any other documents, errors go unnoticed unless the count error is in excess of twenty units.

#### Cost Accounting; Raw Material Receipts

The accounting procedures and controls related to pricing raw material receipts stipulate that the standard raw material price is entered on the accounts payable copy of the purchase order by the purchasing agent. The accounts payable clerk uses this price to voucher the raw material receipt for payment and entry to the inventory accounts. It has been assumed that no errors occur in the accounts payable vouchering process, but that poor control is exercised over the standard cost file.

Weak control over the standard cost file is included in the design of the simulation model. Poor control is assumed to result in the erroneous application of raw material price standards to the purchase order. This in turn results in erroneous vouchering of raw material receipts and incorrect entries to the raw materials inventory.

The procedures resulting in erroneous applications of raw material price standards are represented by the model as stochastic processes. The computer simulation program is designed to use the Monte Carlo technique to determine which raw material receipts are to be erroneously priced. The stochastic process is designed in such a manner that each receipt processed has a ten per cent chance of being erroneously priced. In processing a given receipt, the simulation program first determines whether or not a pricing error is to occur. If

the program determines that an error should occur, it applies the price standard for a similar raw material. If, on the other hand, the program determines that an error should not occur in pricing the shipment, it applies the correct price standard. The correct and erroneous raw material price standards are presented in Exhibit 7.

#### EXHIBIT 7

##### RAW MATERIAL PRICE STANDARDS; CORRECT AND ERRONEOUS

	Raw Material Number 1	Raw Material Number 2	Raw Material Number 3	Raw Material Number 4
Correct Price Standard	\$ 13.50	\$ 16.70	\$ 6.50	\$ 8.00
Erroneous Price Standard	\$ 6.50	\$ 8.00	\$ 13.50	\$ 16.70

As Figure 5 illustrates, an error in pricing a receipt of Raw Material I always results in the application of the correct price standard for Raw Material III and vice versa. The same reciprocal relationship is assumed for Raw Materials II and IV. This process is assumed to simulate a situation which might result from misfiled standard cost cards. It is assumed that Raw Materials I and III are similar to one another as are Raw Materials II and IV.

#### Cost Accounting; Job Time Tickets and Material Requisitions

Weak control over the standard cost file is also assumed to affect the reliability of accounting processes dealing with the application of standard costs to job time tickets and material requisitions. The procedures resulting in erroneous applications of standard costs are represented by the model as stochastic processes.

The accounting procedures and controls, relating to the preparation

and processing of job time tickets permit several job time tickets to be issued for any one production order. As previously described, job time tickets which apply to incomplete production orders are filed in the cost accounting department in a temporary file until the production order is completed. It is assumed that the cost accounting clerks consult the standard cost file only in the case of the first job time tickets issued by a given production department on a given production order. All subsequent job time tickets generated by the same department for the same production order are assumed to be costed by referring to the first job ticket generated. This assumption permits the model to process the entire series of job time tickets which apply to any one production order as if they were one job time ticket.

The computer simulation program is designed to process the job time tickets generated by Department I in the same manner that it processes the time tickets generated by Department II. The program uses the Monte Carlo technique to determine whether or not the job time tickets applying to a given production order are to be costed erroneously. The stochastic process is designed so that each production order has a ten per cent chance of an error occurring in the costing process. When the computer program determines that an error is to occur, it improperly applies to the job time ticket the direct labor hour and burden rates which apply to a similar product. The correct and erroneous standards are presented in Exhibit 8.

The computer program also uses the Monte Carlo technique to determine whether or not correct standard direct labor rates are to be applied to the job time ticket. The stochastic process relating to the application of direct labor rates is described in detail in the variable name

dictionary of Appendix C.

The simulation model represents the raw material requisition costing process in a manner similar to that described for job time tickets. A detailed description of the stochastic processes related to the costing of raw material requisitions is given in the variable name dictionary of Appendix C.

The stochastic processes applying to the costing of job time tickets and material requisitions are assumed to simulate the tendency of a system which might result from misfiled standard cost data.

The basic underlying assumption of the stochastic pricing process is that Product I and Product II both carry the same identical part number except that each of the two product's part numbers consists of a different alphabetic prefix. The alphabetic prefix specifies the metal alloy of the respective casting. The same similarities and differences are assumed for Products II and IV. Costing errors are thus assumed to occur for two basic reasons (a) the cost clerk confuses the alphabetic prefix and thus selects the part number with the inappropriate prefix, and (b) the clerk selects the part number with the inappropriate prefix because it has been misfiled in the inappropriate metal alloy category.

#### Cost Accounting; Finished Goods Transfers

The simulation model treats the standard costing process related to transfers from work-in-process to finished goods inventory, in a manner similar to that already explained for raw material receipts. The only significant difference is that unitized standard costs of material, labor and burden are used to relieve work-in-process inventory while total unit standard costs (material + labor + burden) are used to charge finished goods. The correct and erroneous standard cost parameters are



## EXHIBIT 8

## STANDARDS FOR PRODUCTION COSTING: CORRECT AND ERRONEOUS

	<u>Product Number 1</u>	<u>Product Number 2</u>	<u>Product Number 3</u>	<u>Product Number 4</u>
<u>Direct Material</u>				
Correct dir. material std.	\$13.5000	\$16.7000	\$ 6.5000	\$ 8.0000
Erroneous dir. material std.	\$ 6.5000	\$ 8.000	\$13.5000	\$16.7000
<u>Direct Labor</u>				
Correct std. dir. lbr. hrs./unit in Dept. I	.06	.09	.04	.06
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. hrs./unit in Dept. I	.04	.06	.06	.09
Correct std. dir. lbr. hrs./unit in Dept. II	.04	.06	.04	.07
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. hrs./unit in Dept. II	.04	.07	.04	.06
Correct std. dir. lbr. rate in Dept. I	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. rate Number I in Dept. I	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.00
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. rate Number II in Dept. I	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60
Correct std. dir. lbr. rate in Dept. II	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60	\$ 5.60
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. rate Number I in Dept. II	\$ 5.40	\$ 5.40	\$ 5.40	\$ 5.40
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. rate Number II in Dept. II	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20	\$ 6.20

This Exhibit is continued on the next page.

## EXHIBIT 8 (Continued)

## STANDARDS FOR PRODUCTION COSTING; CORRECT AND ERRONEOUS

	<u>Product Number 1</u>	<u>Product Number 2</u>	<u>Product Number 3</u>	<u>Product Number 4</u>
<u>Direct Labor (Continued)</u>				
Correct std. dir. lbr. cost/unit	\$ .5960	\$ .8940	\$ .4720	\$ .7640
Erroneous std. dir. lbr. cost/unit	\$ .4720	\$ .7640	\$ .5960	\$ .8940
<u>Burden</u>				
Correct std. burden rates for Dept. I; in dollars/ std. dir. lbr. hr.	\$ 12.85	\$ 12.85	\$ 11.40	\$ 11.40
Erroneous std. burden rates for Dept. I; in dollars/ std. dir. lbr. hr.	\$ 11.40	\$ 11.40	\$ 12.85	\$ 12.85
Correct std. burden rates for Dept II; in dollars/ std. dir. lbr. hr.	\$ 51.55	\$ 51.55	\$ 44.05	\$ 44.05
Erroneous std. burden rates for Dept. II; in dollars/ std. dir. lbr. hr.	\$ 44.05	\$ 44.05	\$ 51.55	\$ 51.55
Correct std. burden cost/ unit	\$ 2.8330	\$ 4.2495	\$ 2.2180	\$ 3.7675
Erroneous std. burden cost/unit	\$ 2.2180	\$ 3.7675	\$ 2.8330	\$ 4.2495
<u>Total Unit Standard Cost</u>				
Correct unit std. cost	\$ 16.9290	\$21.8435	\$ 9.1900	\$12.5315
Erroneous unit std. cost	\$ 9.1900	\$12.5315	\$16.9290	\$21.8435

given in Exhibit 8.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE DATA PRINTED BY THE SYSTEM SIMULATION PROGRAM

Samples of the data, printed out by the computer simulation program, are included as Appendix D. All of the data generated by the program are printed in summary form. The information included in the summaries represents the results of the entire nine-months activity. As previously explained, the information pertains only to activity related to the selected four products and their component raw materials.

The reference numbers used in the print-out summaries do not refer to actual document numbers which might be printed on any pre-numbered form. Instead, the shipment number, receiver number, order number and requisition number which appear on the summaries have been provided to facilitate cross-referencing between summaries.

All transactions and documents appearing on the summaries are assumed to be printed out in the same chronological sequence in which they were processed by the firm, e.g.: shipment number one, appearing on either of the shipment summaries represents the first shipment of Raw Material I received during the nine-month period. Receiver number one, which appears on the same summaries, is assumed to be the receiving form prepared for shipment number one. Thus, numerical character one, associated with receiver number one, is not meant to represent a document number. In the same shipment summaries, shipment number two hundred two represents the first shipment of Raw Material II received during the period. Shipment number two hundred three presents the second shipment of the Raw Material II received.

Explanation of the "Summary of Shipments Received  
and Receiving Forms Processed in Terms of Units"

This summary provides a detailed listing of all the shipments of the four raw materials received by the firm during the period. It also provides a corresponding list of the quantity counts noted on the receiving form prepared for each shipment.

The "type of material" column indicates which of the four raw materials was shipped. The "quantity shipped" column indicates how many units of the raw material were actually included in the shipment. This quantity is a CONTROL figure calculated by the model. The "quantity received" column contains a quantity which represents the count that the receiving and inspection personnel enter on the receiving form they prepare for the shipment. The model uses this count to process the shipment and update the raw material inventory.

Explanation of the "Summary of Shipments Received  
and Receiving Forms Processed, Priced, and Extended  
at Standard Cost"

This summary is a listing of the extended standard cost of each shipment which appears in the summary of shipments received and receiving reports processed. It is cross referenced to the unit shipment summary schedule. The "extended standard cost" column appearing on the left of the summary represents the CONTROL extension that the model computes for each shipment processed (actual quantity received multiplied by the correct raw material price standard). The "extended standard cost" column appearing on the right of the summary represents the extended standard cost that appears on the accounts payable voucher prepared for the shipment.

Explanation of the "Production Order  
Summary for the Period" for Departments One and Two

These summaries provide a detailed listing of data that represent the information that would result from the processing of all the job time tickets prepared during the period.

The "order number" appearing in the first column of the summary serves as a reference number to a particular production order. As an example: order number one refers to the first production order processed during the period for product one. Order number two hundred twenty-eight refers to the first production order processed during the period for product two. Order two hundred twenty-nine refers to the second production order processed during the period for product two.

The column labeled "units produced" contains the number of units of product actually produced on a given production order. The model uses this figure to maintain a CONTROL record of all transactions. The column labeled "units reported" contains a quantity which represents the production count that is noted on the job time tickets. This production count applies to the production order referenced by the order number.

The "direct labor hours reported" column contains an amount which represents the total direct labor hours charged to the production order. Machine operators enter this amount on the job time tickets they prepare. Direct-labor-hours-charged is stated at the target amount for the actual units produced. Target production is an assumption underlying the design of the simulation model.

The column headed "direct labor charged work-in-process" contains an amount representing the extended direct labor charge computed for the job time tickets applying to the production order. This amount is computed



by a cost accounting clerk. The cost clerk enters this amount on the job time tickets.

The column headed burden-in-process contains the extended burden charge computed for the job time tickets applying to the production order. It is computed in the same manner as the direct labor charge.

#### Explanation of the "Material Requisition Summary"

The material requisition summary provides a detailed listing of data which represents the information resulting from the preparation and processing of all the material requisitions prepared during the nine-month period.

The "requisition number" appearing in the first column of the summary serves the same purpose as the production order summary order number. Each requisition number applies to the material requisition prepared for the production order carrying the same number. The "type of material" column indicates the type of raw material requisitioned.

The "quantity used" column indicates the quantity of materials actually used in the manufacture of the production order carrying the same order number as the requisition number. The quantity used figure is a CONTROL figure. The "quantity requisitioned" column contains the quantity of material requisitioned for the manufacture of the corresponding production order. As previously explained, units representing the difference between the quantity requisitioned and the quantity used are assumed to be returned to raw materials stores by the machine operators.

- The three columns of the summary labeled "charged to work-in-process" contain the information used to determine the standard cost

charge to the work-in-process inventory. The standard column contains the direct material standard used to compute the extended direct material charge applicable to the production order. This extended charge appears in the amount column. The far right column of the raw material requisition summary contains the extended credit to raw materials inventory, computed for the material requisition. The last four columns on the right of the summary represent the information that is noted on each material requisition by the cost accounting clerk. The information in the rightmost two columns is summarized and posted to the inventory accounts.

Explanation of the "Summary of Production Orders  
Transferred to Finished Goods"

The "summary of production orders transferred to finished goods" is a detailed summary of all production orders transferred from work-in-process to finished goods inventory during the period.

The "order number" serves the same purpose as the "order number" appearing in the production order summary. There is a one to one correspondence between production orders summarized in the production order summary and production orders listed in the transfer summary.

The "units transferred" column contains the actual number of units transferred for any given production order. The units transferred figure is a CONTROL figure calculated by the simulation model. It agrees to the figure in the "units produced" column of production summary. The "units reported as transferred" column contains a quantity which represents the number of units transferred, reported on the number one copy of the production order. As previously explained, this figure is entered on the production order by the weigh-count operator.

The rightmost four columns of the transfer summary represent the extended standard cost amount of inventory charges and credits. These amounts are computed by cost accounting clerks for each production order transferred. The cost accounting clerks enter the amounts on the number one copy of the transferred production order form. These charges and credits are summarized and posted to the inventory accounts.

#### Explanation of the "Final Summary Report"

The final summary report presents the ending inventories generated by the model in terms of units and at standard cost. In the left column labeled "reported," the unreliable REPORTED simulated results are presented. In the right column, labeled "control," the CONTROL figures are given. The CONTROL figures agree with the ending inventory balances presented in Exhibit 2, 3, and 5. The REPORTED figures naturally disagree with the CONTROL figures because of the stochastic processes which affect the processing of REPORTED results.

It is assumed that the only financial inventory accounts maintained by the company are total raw materials, total work-in-process, and total finished goods. More detailed results are presented in the final summary report so that the total combined operating characteristics of the model can be more easily understood.

FIGURE 6.

INVENTORY ACCOUNTING AND CONTROL  
AUDIT PROGRAM

1. Ascertain the degree of accuracy of quantity counts recorded on the receiving form. For each shipment listed on the SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS, verify the quantity received by comparing it to the quantity shipped. List all exceptions on an audit work paper.
2. Determine the extent of the reliability of cost accounting procedures related to the pricing of raw materials received. For each shipment listed on the SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING FORMS PROCESSES PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST, verify the extended standard cost computation. This can be accomplished by extending the quantity received (which appears on the UNIT shipment summary) by the correct standard material price. Standard material prices are presented in Exhibit 7. List all exceptions on an audit work paper.
3. Ascertain the degree of accuracy of the production counts reported by Departments I and II. For each production order listed on the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD, perform the following procedures:
  - a. Verify all of the production counts reported by Department I. This can be accomplished by comparing the units reported on the Department I summary to the units reported on the same summary. List all exceptions noted on an audit work paper.
  - b. Having completed step "a" above, verify the production count reported by Department II. This can be accomplished by comparing the units reported on the Department II summary to both the units reported and the units produced for the corresponding production order appearing on the Department I summary.
  - c. Determine the extent of the reliability of cost accounting procedures related to the costing of job time tickets. For each production order appearing on the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD for Departments I and II, verify the extended labor and burden calculation. List all exceptions noted on an audit working paper. Correct labor and burden standards are presented in Exhibit 8.



4. Ascertain the degree of the reliability of accounting procedures and controls related to the processing of material requisitions. For each material requisition listed on the MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY, perform the following procedures:
  - a. Verify the quantity of material requisitioned as reported on each material requisition form processed during the period. This can be accomplished by comparing the "quantity requisitioned" on the MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY to the "units reported" on the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT I. (There is a one to one correspondence between the material requisition number and the corresponding production order number). List all exceptions on an audit work paper.
  - b. Ascertain the quantity of materials actually used to produce each production order processed during the period. The quantity of materials actually used to produce a given production order is the same as the "units produced" figure which appears on the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT I. List all cases where the quantity requisitioned differs from the quantity of raw materials used. Where the quantity requisitioned exceeds the quantity used, the difference can be assumed to represent unauthorized returns to raw materials stores. These unauthorized returns can further be assumed not to have been recorded on the financial records.
  - c. Determine the extent of the reliability of cost accounting procedures related to the costing of all material requisitions processed during the period. Correct standard costs are presented in Exhibit 8. List all exceptions on an audit work paper.
5. Ascertain the degree of the reliability of accounting procedures and controls related to the processing of production orders transferred to finished goods inventory during the period. For each production order transferred during the period, listed on the SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS; perform the following procedures:
  - a. Ascertain the degree of the effectiveness of the weigh-count operation. Verify the "units reported as transferred" by the weigh-count operator. This can be accomplished by comparing the "units reported as transferred" figure, for each production order transferred, to the "units transferred" figure which appear on the same summary. List all exceptions noted on an audit work paper.
  - b. Ascertain the extent of the reliability of cost accounting procedures related to the costing of finished goods transfers. Verify the extended inventory charges and credits computed for each production order transferred. Correct standard costs are presented in Exhibit 8.



- c. Determine the accuracy of adjustments made for correction notices generated by the weigh-count operation. Isolate all production orders for which correction notices were generated. This can be accomplished by comparing the "units reported as transferred" figure for each production order to the units reported figure on the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT II. Any differences constitute corrections. The firm adjusts for all correction notices by applying correct accumulated full standard cost to the difference in production count which has been disclosed by the weigh-counter. Determine whether or not this technique is appropriate for the order in question. List all exceptions on an audit work paper.

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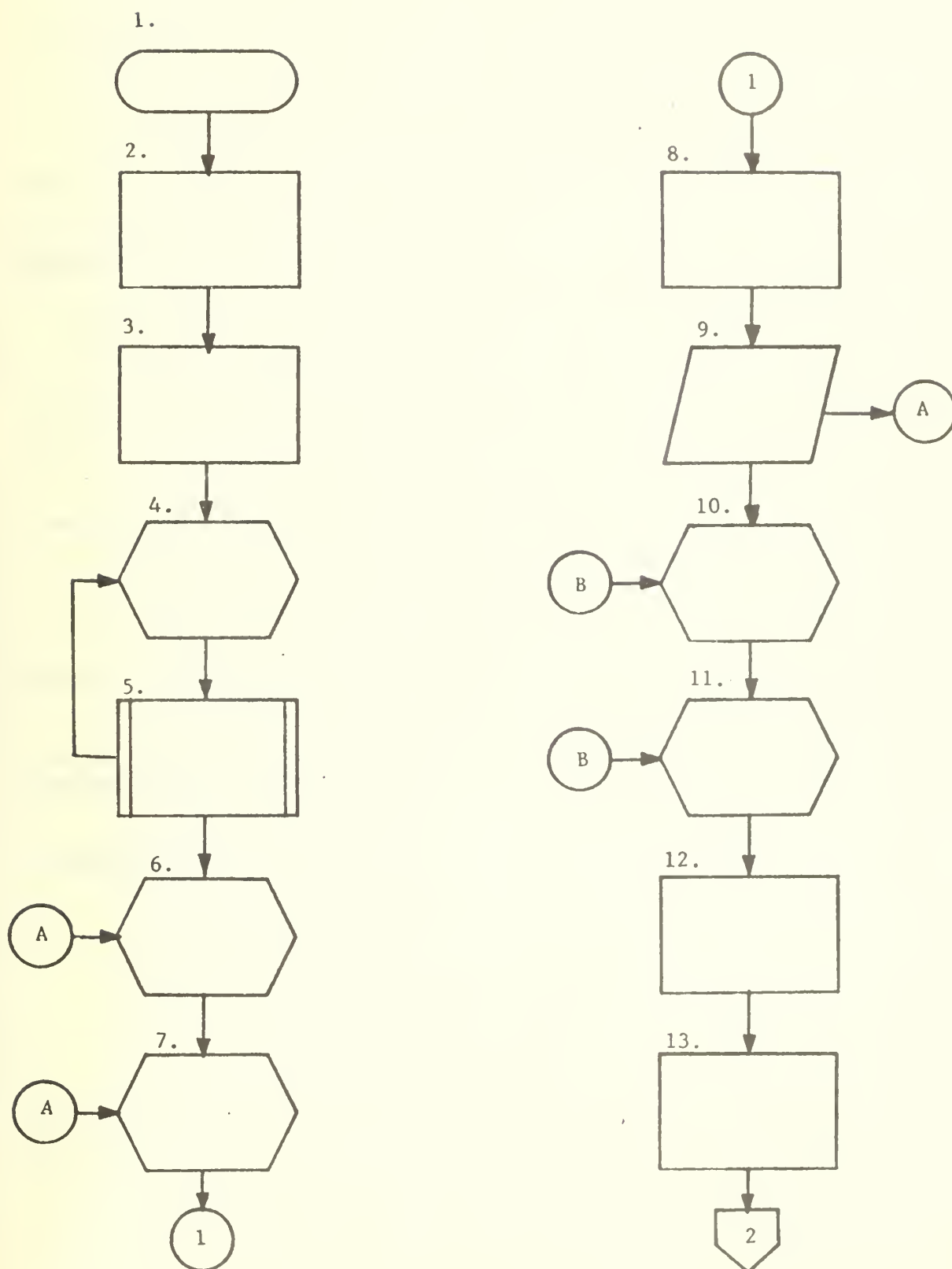
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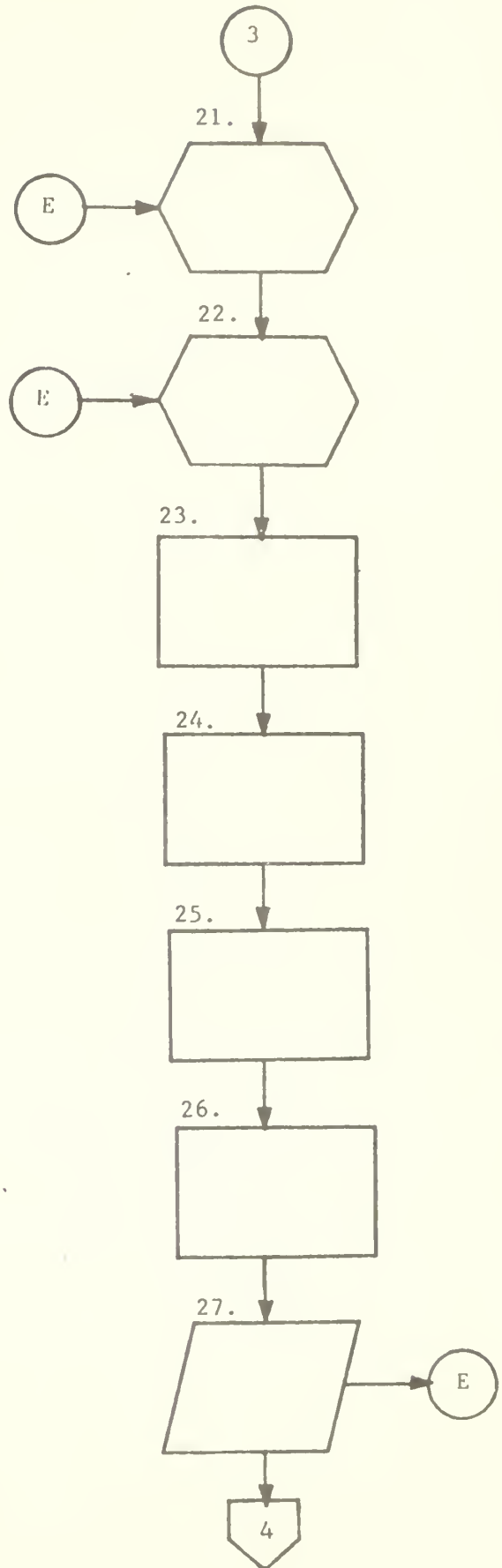
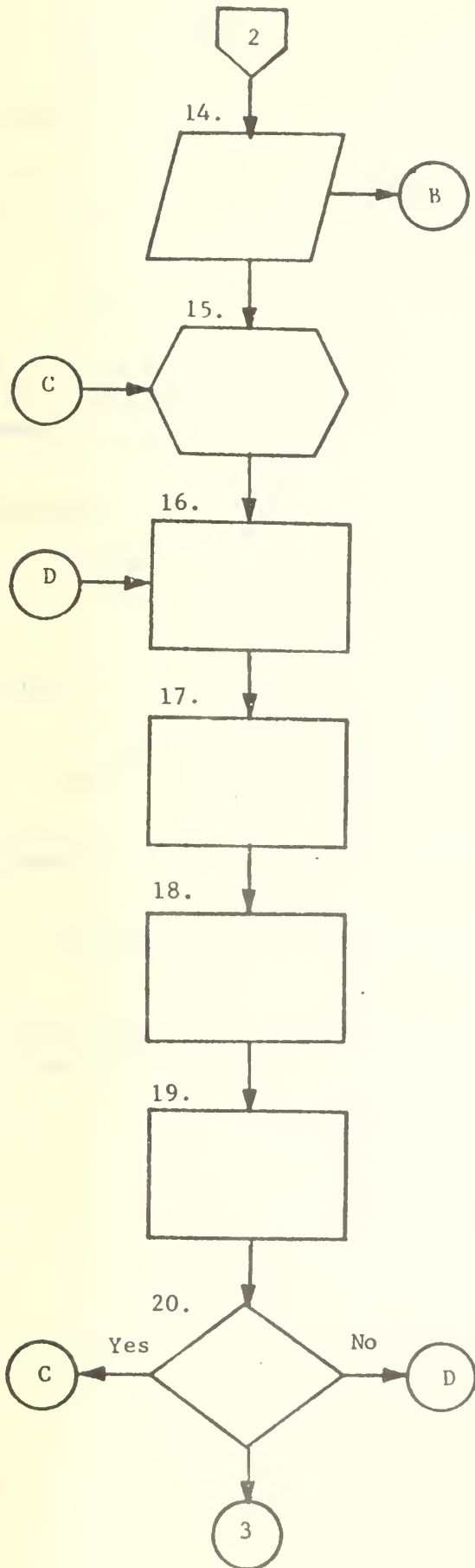
1. Start program.
2. Initialize computer memory.
3. Set parameters in memory.
4. DO; for each of the four types of raw material.
5. Generate the actual quantity shipped for each raw material shipment received during the nine-month period.
6. DO; for each of the four types of raw material.
7. DO; for each shipment received during the nine-month period.
8. Generate the unreliable quantities, assumed to be reported as received on the receiving form for each shipment.
9. Print the SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS.
10. DO; for each of the four types of raw material.
11. DO; for each shipment received during the nine-month period.
12. (a) Apply the correct raw material standard price to the quantity actually shipped.  
(b) Apply unreliable raw material standard prices to the quantities generated in step 8.
13. Update the REPORTED financial raw material inventory account for the extended result of (b) in step 12; update the CONTROL financial material inventory account for the extended results of (b) step 12.

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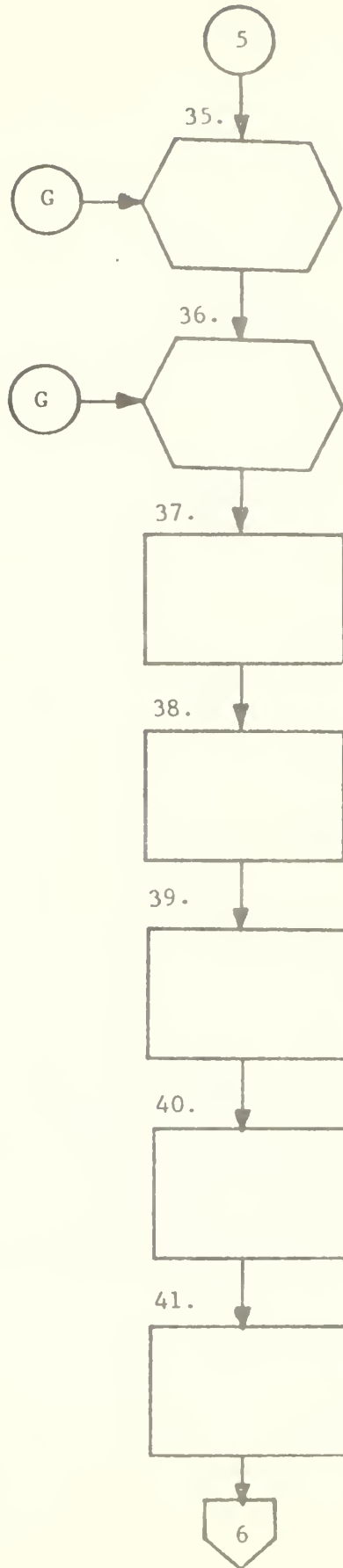
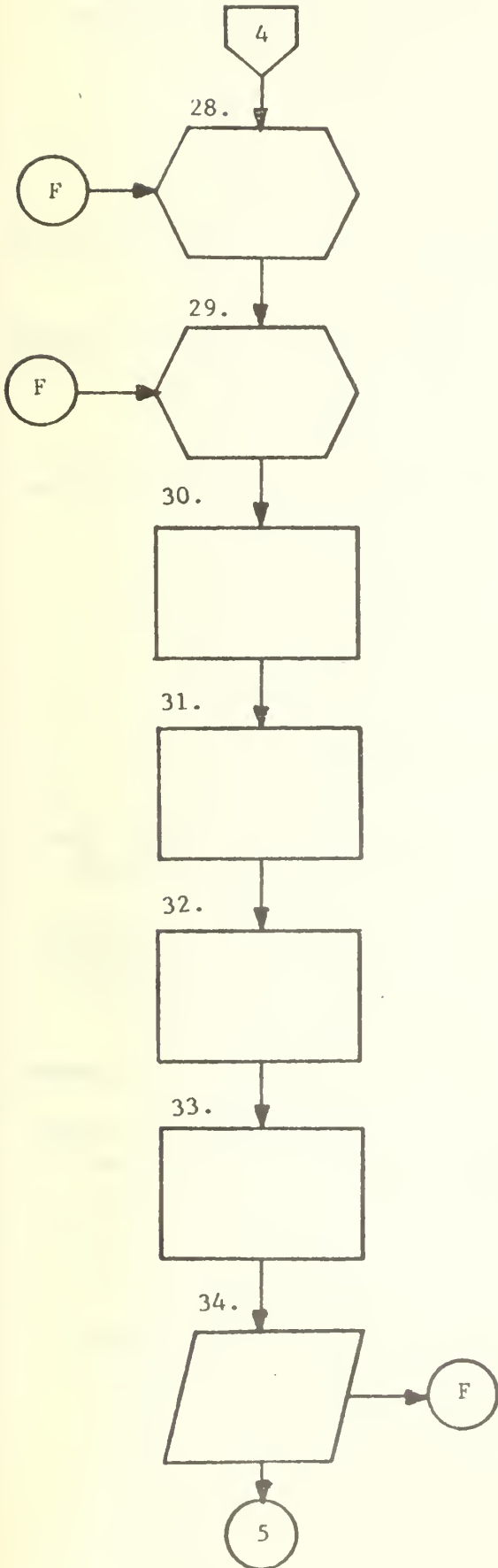


14. Print the SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING FORMS PROCESSED, PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST.
15. DO; for each of the four types of product.
16. Generate the quantity of units actually produced on a production order.
17. Generate unreliable production counts for Departments I and II which apply to the production order generated in step 16.
18. Compute unreliable Department I and II standard direct labor hours for the production order generated in step 16.
19. Compute the correct standard direct labor hours for the production order generated in step 16.
20. Is the accumulated quantity of units generated in step 16 equal to the total units to be produced for this product type?
21. DO; for each of the four types of products.
22. DO; for each production order previously generated.
23. Compute the unreliable extended Department I direct labor charge for each production order generated in step 16.
24. Compute the unreliable extended Department I burden charge for each production order generated in step 16.
25. Compute the correct extended Department I direct labor and burden charges for each production order generated in step 16.
26. Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory account for the unreliable charges determined in steps 23 and 24; update the CONTROL work-in-process account for the charges computed in step 25.
27. PRINT the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT 1.

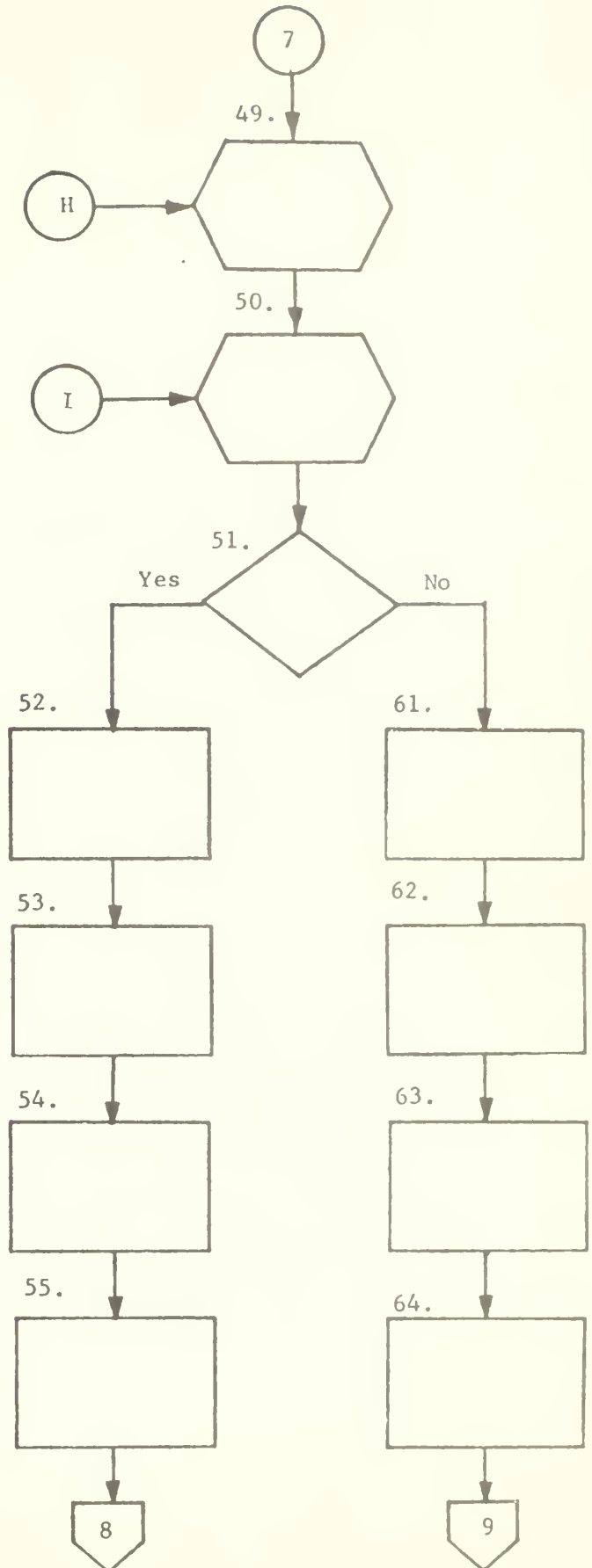
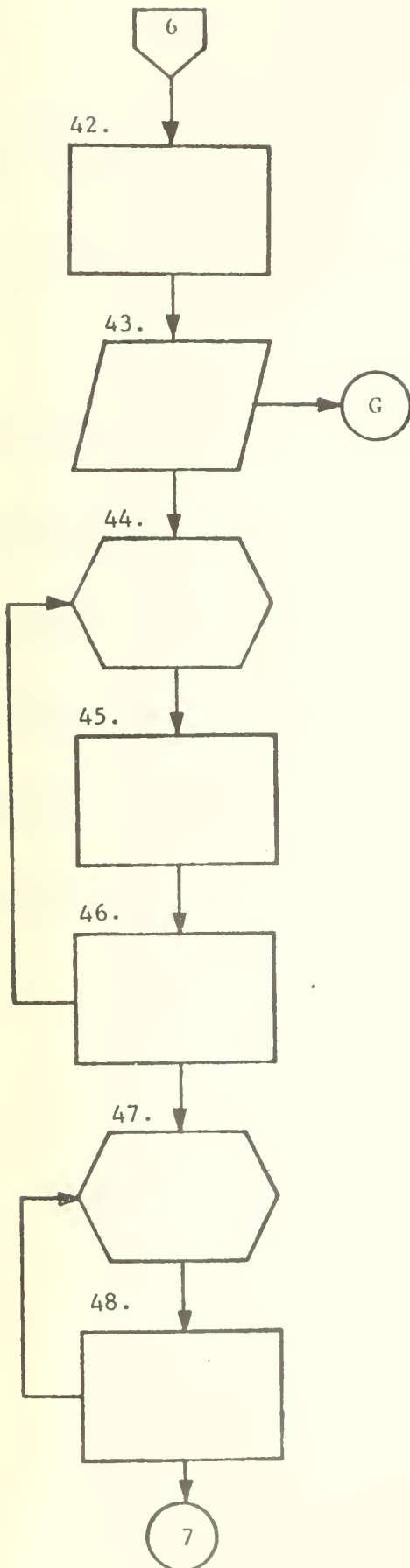




28. DO; for each of the four types of product.
29. DO; for each production order previously generated in step 16.
30. Compute the unreliable extended Department II direct labor charge for each production order generated in step 16.
31. Compute the unreliable extended Department II burden charge for each production order generated in step 16.
32. Compute the correct extended Department II direct labor and burden charges for each production order generated in step 16.
33. Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory account for the unreliable charges determined in steps 30 and 31; update the CONTROL work-in-process inventory account for the charges computed in step 32.
34. Print the PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT II
35. DO; for each of the four types of product.
36. DO; for each production order generated in step 16.
37. Determine the actual quantity of raw material used to produce the order.
38. Generate the quantity of raw material requisitioned to produce the production order.
39. Extend the quantities generated in step 38 by unreliable material standard costs.
40. Extend the quantities generated in step 37 by correct material standard costs.
41. Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory for the unreliable credits computed in step 39; update the CONTROL work-in-process inventory for the credits computed in step 40.

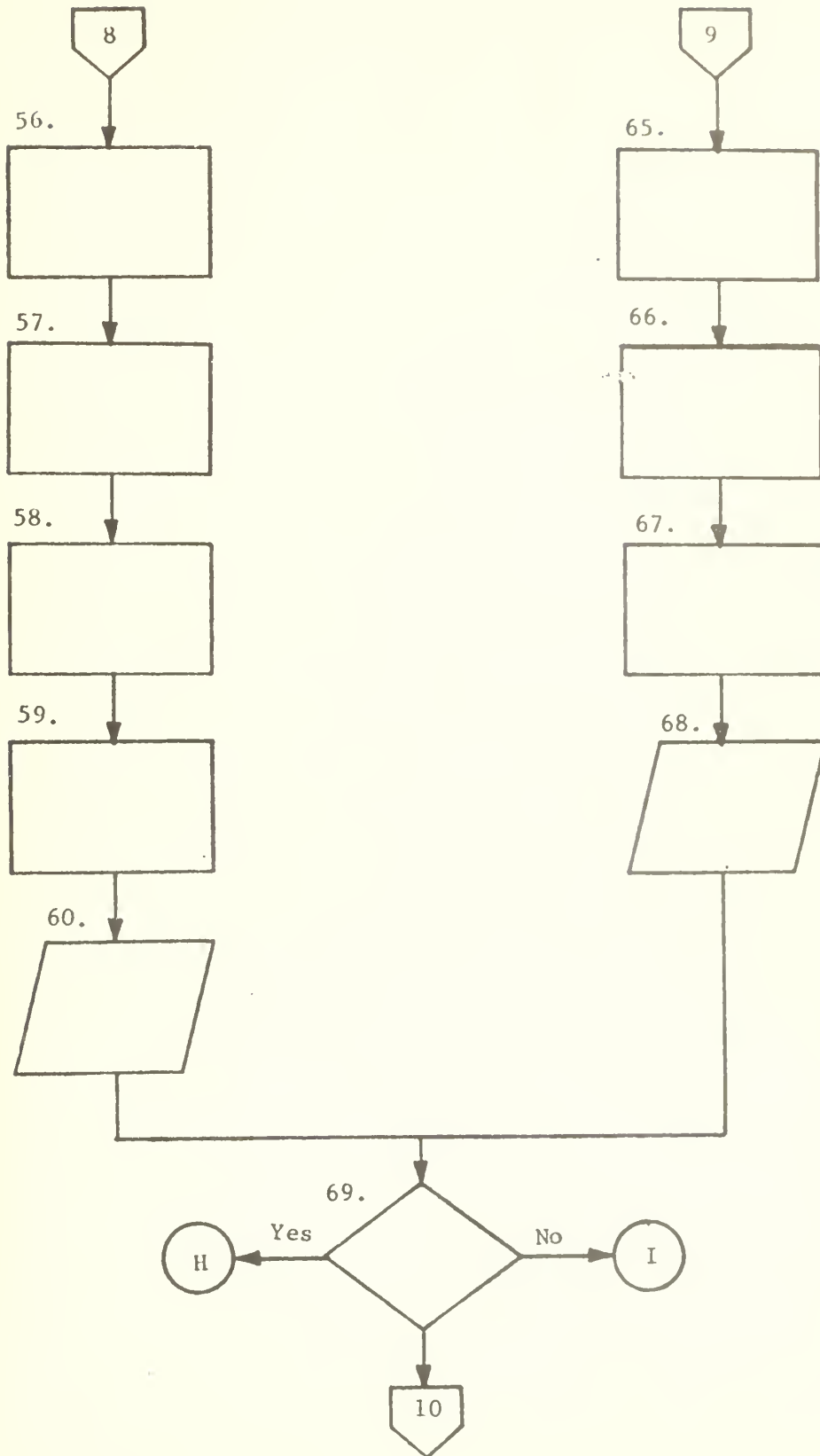


42. Update the REPORTED perpetual unit records for the withdrawal of the quantities generated in step 38; update the CONTROL perpetual unit records for the withdrawal of the quantities generated in step 37.
43. Print the MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY.
44. DO; for each of the four types of raw material.
45. Calculate the ending balances for the REPORTED and CONTROL perpetual unit records of each type of raw material.
46. Calculate the ending balances for the REPORTED and CONTROL financial inventory accounts for raw materials, by raw material type.
47. DO; for each of the four types of raw material.
48. Calculate the ending balance for the REPORTED and CONTROL financial inventory account for all four raw materials combined.
49. DO; for each of the four types of product.
50. DO; for each production order scheduled to be transferred.
51. Is the Department II production count for this production order overstated by more than 20 units?
52. Correct the production count on this order.
53. Update the REPORTED and CONTROL finished goods perpetual unit records for the correct quantity of products actually transferred.
54. Update the REPORTED work-in-process perpetual unit records for the unreliable Department II production count; update the CONTROL work-in-process perpetual unit records for the actual quantity transferred.
55. Apply unreliable standard costs to the production order transferred.
61. Update the REPORTED finished goods perpetual stock control records for the Department II production count transferred; update the CONTROL for the actual quantity transferred.
62. Update the REPORTED work-in-process perpetual unit records for the Department II production count transferred.
63. Apply unreliable standard costs to the Department II production count transferred.
64. Apply correct standard costs to the actual quantity of units transferred.



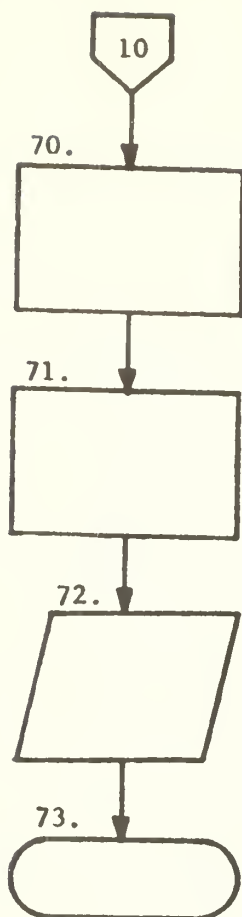


56. Apply correct standard costs to the actual number of units transferred.
57. Update the REPORTED finished goods inventory account for the extended values computed in step 55; update the CONTROL finished goods inventory account for the correct extended standard cost of the quantities actually transferred.
58. Update the CONTROL work-in-process inventory for the correct extended standard cost of the quantities actually transferred.
59. Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory for the extended values computed in step 55.
60. Print the SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS.
65. Update the REPORTED finished goods inventory for the extended values determined in step 63; update the CONTROL finished goods inventory for the extended values determined in step 64.
66. Update the CONTROL work-in-process inventory for the extended values determined in step 64.
67. Update the REPORTED work-in-process inventory for the extended values determined in step 63.
68. Print the SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS.
69. Have all the units, scheduled for transfer, been transferred?



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70. Determine the ending balances of the REPORTED and CONTROL finished goods inventories.
71. Determine the ending balances of the REPORTED and CONTROL work-in-process inventories.
72. Print the FINAL SUMMARY REPORT.
73. Stop the program.







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CARD #

00001	JCB,7940,DCB,CM102000,I60.	1
00002	PAGES=200.	1
00003	FTN.	1
00004	REDUCE. A REDUCE. CARD SHOULD APPEAR DIRECTLY BEFORE THE LGO. CARD.	1
00005	LGO.	1
00006	6	1
00007	PROGRAM ERCT(INPLT,OUTPUT)	1
00008	*****	
00009	CCPMCN/CNF/RM(4,450),EX(4),STD(4),RAW(4),NO(4),J	2
00010	DIMENSION PRAM(4,4),JOB(4,450),EJOB(4,450),WIP(4),NP(4)	2
00011	DIMENSION ERM(4,450),ETQMTL(4),TQMTL(4),ETMTL(4),SD(4,450),TMTL(4)	2
00012	DIMENSION DLH1(4,450),DLH2(4,450),SDLR(2,4),SDLH(4,2,2)	2
00013	DIMENSION EDLH1(4,450),EDLH2(4,450),EEJOB(4,450)	2
00014	DIMENSION CK1(4,450),CK2(4,450),QWIP1(4),QWIP2(4)	2
00015	DIMENSION SPR(4,2,2),RMRE(4),SUMAT1(4),SUMAT2(4)	2
00016	DIMENSION GWIP(4),EGWIP(4),TRAN(4),IFGG(4),IFGCE(4)	2
00017	DIMENSION FGI(4),EFGI(4),STCPM(4,2),STCPL(4,2),STCPB(4,2)	2
00018	DIMENSION STCP(4,2)	2
00019	DIMENSION JOBC(4),ISPLIT(4)	2
00020	INTEGER P	2
00021	33 FORMAT(*1,////,9X,*SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING	2
00022	REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS*)	
00023	36 FORMAT(* *,9X,*****)	2
00024	1-----*)	
00025	46 FORMAT(*0*,9X,*SHIPMENT*,4X,*TYPE OF*,3X,*QUANTITY*,10X,*RECEIVER*	2
00026	1,4X,*TYPE CF*,7X,*CLANTITY*)	
00027	47 FORMAT(* *,11X,*NUMBER*,3X,*MATERIAL*,4X,*SHIPPED*,12X,*NUMBER*,3X	2
00028	1,*MATERIAL*,7X,*RECEIVED*)	
00029	48 FORMAT(* *,11X,*****4X,*****12X,*****3X	2
00030	1,*****7X,*****)	
00031	34 FORMAT(12X,14,4X,15,5X,F10.1,10X,15,5X,15,7X,F10.1)	2
00032	39 FORMAT(*1,////,9X,*SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING	2
00033	IFCRMS PROCESSED*)	
00034	40 FORMAT(* *,20X,*PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST*)	2
00035	41 FORMAT(* *,9X,*****)	2
00036	1-----*)	

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00037 42 FORMAT(*C*,9X,*SHIPMENT*,3X,*EXTENDED*,21X,*RECEIVER*,3X,*EXTENDED 2
00038 1*)
00039 43 FORMAT(* *,11X,*NUMBER*,3X,*STD.COST*,23X,*NUMBER*,3X,*STD.COST*) 2
00040 44 FORMAT(* *,11X,*-----*,3X,*-----*,23X,*-----*,3X,*-----*) 2
00041 35 FORMAT(10X,15,4X,F10.2,21X,15,4X,F10.2)
00042 54 FORMAT(*1*,////////,9X,*PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR 2
00043 1DEPARTMENT 1*)
00044 55 FORMAT(* *,9X,*-----*) 2
00045 1---*)
00046 56 FORMAT(*0*,9X,*ORDER UNITS UNITS DIRECT LBR. D 2
00047 1IF.LBR.CHARGED BURDEN CHARGED*)
00048 57 FORMAT(* *,11X,*NC. PRODUCT PRODUCED REPORTED HRS.REPORTED 40 2
00049 1FK-IN-PROCESS WCRK-IN-PROCESS*)
00050 58 FORMAT(* *,9X,*-----*) 2
00051 1-----*)
00052 59 FORMAT(* *,5X,19,16,4X,18,*.,F10.0,F14.5,F12.2,F18.2) 2
00053 53 FORMAT(*1*,////////,9X,*PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR 2
00054 1DEPARTMENT 2*)
00055 216 FORMAT(*1*,////////,9X,*MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY*) 2
00056 217 FORMAT(* *,9X,*-----*) 2
00057 218 FORMAT(*0*,9X,*PEQUISITION*,3X,*TYPE OF*,2X,*QUANTITY*,1X,* Q 2
00058 1UANTITY*,3X,*CHARGED TO WORK-IN-PROCESS*,* AMOUNT CREDITED*) 2
00059 219 FORMAT(* *,14X,*NUMBER*,2X,*MATERIAL*,6X,*USED*,2X,*REQUISITIONED* 2
00060 1, 3X,*QUANTITY STANDARD AMOUNT RAW MATERIALS*)
00061 220 FORMAT(* *,14X,*-----*,2X,*-----*,2X,*-----*) 2
00062 1,3X,*-----*)
00063 225 FORMAT(* *,5X,115,16,114,115,111,F9.2,F9.2,F13.2) 2
00064 300 FORMAT(*1*,////////,9X,*SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO 2
00065 1FINISHED GOODS*)
00066 301 FORMAT(* *,8X,*-----*) 2
00067 1-----*)
00068 302 FORMAT(* *,9X,*CRDER*,9X,*UNITS*,2X,*UNITS REPORTED*,2X,*EXTENDED 2
00069 1CHARGE EXTENDED CREDIT TO W.I.P.*)
00070 303 FORMAT(* *,11X,*NC.*.,2X,*PRCD.*.,1X,*TRANS.*.,2X,*AS TRANSFERRED*,2X 2
00071 1,*FINISHED GOODS MATERIAL LABCR BURDEN*)
00072 304 FORMAT(* *,9X,*-----*,2X,*-----*,2X,*-----*,2X 2
00073 1,*-----*,2X,*-----*)
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00074 306 FCRMAT(* *,9X,I5,I7,I7,*,*,F10.0,F18.2,F13.2,F7.2,F8.2,I5) 2
00075 226 FCRMAT(*I*,//////,24X,*F I N A L S U M M A R Y R E P O R T*) 2
00076 227 FCRMAT(*0*,13X,*RAW MATERIALS ENDING INVENTORY*,15X,*REPORTED 2
00077 1CCNTRCL*) 2
00078 229 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*UNITS OF RAW MATERIAL*,I2,F27.2,F12.2) 2
00079 261 FCRMAT(*0*) 2
00080 231 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL*,I2,I1X,*INVENTORY*,F14.2, 2
00081 1F12.2) 2
00082 232 FCRMAT(* *,13X,*TCTIAL STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL INVENTORY*,F13.2,F1 2
00083 12.2) 2
00084 262 FCRMAT(*0*,13X,*WCRK-IN-PROCESS ENDING INVENTORY*,13X,*REPORTED 2
00085 1 CNTRCL*) 2
00086 263 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*UNITS OF PRODUCT*,I2,20X,F12.2,F12.2) 2
00087 265 FCRMAT(*0*,16X,*STD.COST OF MATERIAL-IN-PROCESS*,5X,F14.2,F12.2) 2
00088 266 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*STD.COST OF LABOR-IN-PROCESS*,10X,F12.2,F12.2) 2
00089 267 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*STD.BURDEN CONTENT OF WORK-IN-PROCESS*,F13.2,F12.2 2
00090 1) 2
00091 268 FCRMAT(* *,13X,*TOTAL STD.COST OF WORK-IN-PROCESS*,F20.2,F12.2) 2
00092 271 FCRMAT(*0*,13X,*FINISHED GOODS ENDING INVENTORY*,14X,*REPORTED*,5X 2
00093 1,*CNTRCL*) 2
00094 272 FCRMAT(* *,13X,*TCTIAL STD.COST OF FINISHED GOODS*,8X,F13.2,F12.2) 2
00095 307 FCRMAT(* *,16X,*UNITS OF PRODUCT*,I2,20X,I9,*.00*,I9,*.00*) 2
00096 401 FCRMAT(* *,9X,I5,I7,* ORDER NOT TRANSFERRED DURING THE PERIOD*) 2
00097 1000 FCRMAT(//////,20X,*THE RANDOM NUMBER SEED IS*,O20) 2
00098 DC775I=1,4 2
00099 NO(I)=0 2
00100 JCHC(I)=0 2
00101 ETMTL(I)=0.0 2
00102 ETGMTL(I)=0.0 2
00103 TCMTL(I)=0.0 2
00104 TMTL(I)=0.0 2
00105 ERPRE(I)=0.0 2
00106 RPRE(I)=0.0 2
00107 SUPAT2(I)=0.0 2
00108 SUPAT1(I)=0.0 2
00109 775 NP(I)=0 2
00110 DC778J=1,4 2

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SPLH(3,2,1)=.04  
SPLH(3,2,2)=.04  
SPLH(4,1,1)=.06  
SPLH(4,1,2)=.09  
SPLH(4,2,1)=.07  
SPLH(4,2,2)=.06  
SFR(1,1,1)=12.85  
SFR(1,1,2)=11.40  
SFR(1,2,1)=51.55  
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SFR(4,2,1)=44.05  
SFR(4,2,2)=51.55  
TPAN(1)=30280.  
TRAN(2)=30964.  
TRAN(3)=29777.  
TRAN(4)=21719.  
STCP(1,1)=16.9290  
STCP(1,2)=9.1900  
STCP(2,1)=21.8435  
STCP(2,2)=12.5315  
STCP(3,1)=9.1900  
STCP(3,2)=16.9290  
STCP(4,1)=12.5315  
STCP(4,2)=21.8435  
STCPM(1,1)=13.5000  
STCPM(1,2)=6.5000  
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CWIPCB=0.0
WIPLE=0.0
WIPBE=0.0
FTMTL=0.0
EFTMTL=0.0
EFG=-1731113.15
FG=-1731113.15
DC4J=1.4
4 CALL INVCIC
PRINT 33
PRINT 36
PRINT 46
PRINT 47
PRINT 48
N=C
N=C
DC7J=1.4
I=NO(J)
DC7K=1.1
ERRCR=RAM(0)
IF (ERRCR.LT..25) GO TO 8
EPM(J,K)=EM(J,K)
GC TC 10
8 MISCCU=RM(J,K)*.10
EPM(J,K)=RM(J,K)-MISCCU
MISCCU=0
10 N=N+1
I=M+1
IF (M.EG.35) GO TO 49
GC TC 50
49 PRINT 33
PPINT 36
PRINT 46
PPINT 47
PRINT 49
N=C
50 PRINT 34,N,J,RM(J,K),N,J

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00296 7 CONTINUE
00297 PRINT 39
00298 PRINT 40
00299 PRINT 41
00300 PRINT 42
00301 PRINT 43
00302 PRINT 44
00303 M=0
00304 N=0
00305 DC17I=1,4
00306 ETGRTL(I)=TGRTL(I)
00307 ETMTL(I)=TMTL(I)
00308 IN=NO(I)
00309 DC17J=1,IN
00310 RN5=RN(0)
00311 IF(RN5.LT..90) GO TO 20
00312 S D(I,J)=PRAW(I,2)
00313 GC TO 26
00314 20 S D(I,J)=PRAW(I,4)
00315 GC TC 26
00316 26 ETGRTL(I)=ETGRTL(I)+ERM(I,J)
00317 ETMTL(I)=ETMTL(I)+(ERM(I,J)*SD(I,J))
00318 TGRTL(I)=TGRTL(I)+RM(I,J)
00319 TMTL(I)=TMTL(I)+(RM(I,J)*PRAW(I,4))
00320 ERM(I,J)=ERM(I,J)*SD(I,J)
00321 RM(I,J)=RM(I,J)*PRAW(I,4)
00322 N=N+1
00323 M=M+1
00324 IF(M.EC.35) GO TO 51
00325 GC TO 52
00326 51 PRINT 39
00327 PRINT 40
00328 PRINT 41
00329 PRINT 42
00330 PRINT 43
00331 PRINT 44
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00333 52 PRINT 35,N,RM(I,J),N,ERM(I,J)
00334 17 CONTINUE
00335 P=C
00336 DC22I=1,4
00337 J=1
00338 TCT3=0.0
00339 23 RM7=RAM(0)
00340 RM8=RAM(0)
00341 X2=(SQRT (-2.*ALOG(RN7)))*(COS (2.*3.14159*(RN8)))
00342 JCB(I,J)=X2*35.0+150.0
00343 DLH1(I,J)=JOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,1,1)
00344 DLH2(I,J)=JOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,2,1)
00345 RM9=RAM(0)
00346 IF(RN9.LT..15) GC TO 141
00347 EJCB(I,J)=JCB(I,J)
00348 EFJOB(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)
00349 RN21=RAM(0)
00350 IF(RN21.LT..08) GC TO 200
00351 P=1
00352 GC TO 201
00353 200 P=2
00354 201 EDLH2(I,J)=EEJCB(I,J)*SDLH(I,2,P)
00355 CK2(I,J)=P
00356 RN21=RAM(0)
00357 IF(RN21.LT..08) GO TO 202
00358 P=1
00359 GC TO 203
00360 202 P=2
00361 203 EDLH1(I,J)=FJOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,1,P)
00362 CK1(I,J)=P
00363 RN10=RAM(0)
00364 IF(RN10.LT..08) GC TO 142
00365 EFJCB(I,J)=EJCB(I,J)
00366 GC TO 25
00367 142 MISCU=EJCB(I,J)*.05
00368 EFJCB(I,J)=FJCB(I,J)+MISCU
00369 RN21=RAM(0)

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00370	IF(RN21.LT..08) GC TO 206	18
00371	P=1	18
00372	GC TC 207	18
00373	206 P=2	18
00374	207 EPLH2(I,J)=EEJOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,2,P)	18
00375	CK2(I,J)=P	18
00376	GC TC 25	17
00377	141 MISCCU=JCB(I,J)*.10	17
00378	EJCB(I,J)=JOB(I,J)+MISCOU	17
00379	EEJOB(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)	17
00380	RN21=RAN(0)	18
00381	IF(RN21.LT..08) GC TO 208	18
00382	P=1	18
00383	GC TC 209	18
00384	208 P=2	18
00385	209 EPLH1(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,1,P)	18
00386	CK1(I,J)=P	18
00387	RN21=RAN(0)	18
00388	IF(RN21.LT..08) GC TO 210	18
00389	P=1	18
00390	GC TC 211	18
00391	210 P=2	18
00392	211 EPLH2(I,J)=EEJOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,2,P)	18
00393	CK2(I,J)=P	18
00394	25 MISCCU=0	17
00395	TCT4=TCT3+JOB(I,J)	20
00396	IF(TCT4.GE.WIP(I))GC TO 24	20
00397	TCT3=TCT4	20
00398	J=J+1	16
00399	GC TC 23	16
00400	24 JCB(I,J)=WIP(I)-TCT3	16
00401	EJCB(I,J)=JOB(I,J)	17
00402	EEJOB(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)	17
00403	DLH1(I,J)=JOB(I,J)*SDLH(I,1,1)	19
00404	RN21=RAN(0)	18
00405	IF(RN21.LT..08) GC TO 212	18
00406	P=1	18

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GO TC 213  
212 P=2  
213 ECLH1(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)\*SDLH(I,1,P)  
CK1(I,J)=P  
DLP2(I,J)=JOB(I,J)\*SDLH(I,2,1)  
RM21=RAN(0)  
IF(RN21.LT..08) GO TO 214  
P=1  
GO TC 215  
214 P=2  
215 ECLH2(I,J)=EEJOB(I,J)\*SDLH(I,2,P)  
CK2(I,J)=P  
NP(I)=J  
22 CONTINUE  
PRINT 54  
PRINT 55  
PRINT 56  
PRINT 57  
PRINT 58  
LL=0  
L=0  
DC60I=1,4  
NI=NP(I)  
DC60J=1,NI  
LL=LL+1  
L=L+1  
P=CK1(I,J)  
IF(LL.EQ.35) GO TC 72  
GO TC 73  
72 PRINT 54  
PRINT 55  
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LL=0  
GO TC 73  
73 RN11=RAN(0)

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IF(RN11.LT..90) GC TO 71
RN12=RN(0)
IF(RN12.LT..50) GC TO 70
WIPCH=FDLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,2)
WIPCHB=EDLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,P)
WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
RATE=SDLR(1,2)
CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,4)
CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,1)
X=DLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,4)
X2=DLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,1)
PRINT 59,L,I,JOB(I,J),EJOB(I,J),DLH1(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
GC TO 60
70 WIPCH=EDLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,1)
WIPCHB=EDLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,P)
WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
RATE=SDLR(1,1)
CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,4)
CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,1)
PRINT 59,L,I,JCB(I,J),EJOB(I,J),DLH1(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
GC TO 60
71 WIPCH=EDLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,4)
WIPCHB=EDLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,P)
WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
RATE=SDLR(1,4)
CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH1(I,J)*SDLR(1,4)
CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH1(I,J)*SBR(I,1,1)
PRINT 59,L,I,JOB(I,J),EJOB(I,J),DLH1(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
GC TO 60
60 CCNTINLF
PRINT 53
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L=0
LL=0
DC 160 I=1,4
NI=NP(I)
DC 160 J=1,NI
L=L+1
LL=LL+1
P=CK2(I,J)
IF(LL.EG.35) GO TO 172
GO TC 173
172 PRINT 53
PRINT 55
PRINT 56
PRINT 57
PPINT 58
LL=0
GO TC 173
173 RN11=LAN(0)
IF(RN11.LT..90) GO TO 171
RN12=LAN(0)
IF(RN12.LT..50) GC TO 170
WIPCH=EDLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,2)
WIPCH=FIDLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,P)
WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
RATE=SDLR(2,2)
CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,4)
CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,1)
PRINT 59,L,I,J,CB(I,J),EEJOB(I,J),DLH2(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
GO TC 160
170 WIPCH=EDLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,1)
WIPCHB=EDLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,P)
WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
RATE=SDLR(2,1)
CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,4)
CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,1)

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00518 PRINT 59,L,I,JOB(I,J),EEJOB(I,J),DLH2(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
00519 GC TC 160
00520 171 WIPCH=EDLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,4)
00521 WIPCHB=EDLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,P)
00522 WIPLE=WIPLE+WIPCH
00523 WIPBE=WIPBE+WIPCHB
00524 RAJE=SDLR(2,4)
00525 CWIPCL=CWIPCL+DLH2(I,J)*SDLR(2,4)
00526 CWIPCB=CWIPCB+DLH2(I,J)*SBR(I,2,1)
00527 PRINT 59,L,I,JOB(I,J),EEJOB(I,J),DLH2(I,J),WIPCH,WIPCHB
00528 160 CONTINUE
00529 PRINT 216
00530 PRINT 217
00531 PPINT 218
00532 PRINT 219
00533 PRINT 220
00534 FGWCH=0.0
00535 K=0
00536 L=0
00537 DC221 I=1,4
00538 NI=NP(I)
00539 DC221 J=1,NI
00540 MTUSE=JOB(I,J)
00541 RMRE(I)=RMRE(I)+MTUSE
00542 MWIPC=EJCB(I,J)
00543 MREG=EJOB(I,J)
00544 ERMRE(I)=ERMRE(I)+MREG
00545 RN22=RAN(0)
00546 IF(RN22.LT..10) GO TO 222
00547 SD(I,J)=PRAW(I,4)
00548 GO TC 223
00549 222 SD(I,J)=PRAW(I,2)
00550 223 WIPCHM=MWIPC*SD(I,J)
00551 FGWCH=FGWCH+WIPCHM
00552 SUMAT1(I)=SUMAT1(I)+(MTUSE*PRAW(I,4))
00553 SUMAT2(I)=SUMAT2(I)+(MREQ*SD(I,J))
00554 K=K+1

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L=L+1
IF(L.EG.35) GO TO 224
PRINT 225,K,I,MTUSE,MREQ,MWIPC,SD(I,J),WIPCHM,WIPCHM
GO TO 221
224 PRINT 216
PRINT 217
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PRINT 220
PRINT 225,K,I,MTUSE,MREQ,MWIPC,SD(I,J),WIPCHM,WIPCHM
L=0
221 CONTINUE
DC233 I=1,4
TMTL(I)=TMTL(I)-SUMAT1(I)
TGMTL(I)=TGMTL(I)-RMRE(I)
ETMTL(I)=ETMTL(I)-SUMAT2(I)
ETGMTL(I)=ETGMTL(I)-ERMRE(I)
233 CONTINUE
DC234 I=1,4
FTMTL=FTMTL+TMTL(I)
EFTMTL=EFTMTL+ETMTL(I)
234 CONTINUE
DC 242 I=1,4
GWIP(I)=GWIP1(I)+GWIP2(I)
EGWIP(I)=EGWIP1(I)+GWIP2(I)
242 CONTINUE
L=0
LL=0
PRINT 300
PRINT 301
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PRINT 304
DC 260 I=1,4
NI=NP(I)
EO 260 J=1,NI
GWIP(I)=GWIP(I)+JCB(I,J)

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00592      EGWIP(I)=EGWIP(I)+EEJOB(I,J)
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00594      260 CONTINUE
00595      TRIGER=0.0
00596      DO 291 I=1,4
00597      NI=NP(I)
00598      DO 404 J=1,NI
00599      IF (TRIGER.EQ.1.0) GO TO 281
00600      JOBC(I)=JOBC(I)+JCB(I,J)
00601      IF (JCRC(I).GE. TRAN(I)) GO TO 280
00602      GO TO 281
00603      280 ISPLIT(I)=JOBC(I)-TRAN(I)
00604      JCB(I,J)=JCR(I,J)-ISPLIT(I)
00605      EJCB(I,J)=EJOB(I,J)-ISPLIT(I)
00606      EEJCB(I,J)=EEJOB(I,J)-ISPLIT(I)
00607      281 L=L+1
00608      LL=LL+1
00609      IF (LL.EQ.35) GO TO 305
00610      IF (TRIGER.EQ.1.0) GO TO 400
00611      GO TO 308
00612      305 PRINT 300
00613      PRINT 301
00614      PRINT 302
00615      PRINT 303
00616      PRINT 304
00617      LL=0
00618      IF (TRIGER.EQ.1.0) GO TO 400
00619      308 IF (EEJOB(I,J)-JCB(I,J).GT.20) GO TO 239
00620      IFGC(I)=IFGC(I)+JCB(I,J)
00621      IFGCE(I)=IFGCE(I)+EEJOB(I,J)
00622      GWIP(I)=GWIP(I)-JCB(I,J)
00623      EGWIP(I)=EGWIP(I)-EEJOB(I,J)
00624      RN34=RAN(0)
00625      IF (RN34.LT..08) GO TO 236
00626      P=1
00627      GC TO 237
00628      236 P=2
00629      237 FGI(I)=FGI(I)+JOB(I,J)*STCP(I,1)

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00629 EFGI(I)=EFGI(I)+EEJCB(I,J)*STCP(I,P)
00630 FGI=EEJCB(I,J)*STCP(I,P)
00631 FG5=EEJCB(I,J)
00632 SUMAT1(I)=SUMAT1(I)-JOB(I,J)*STCPM(I,I)
00633 CWIPCL=CWIPCL-JCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,I)
00634 CWIPCB=CWIPCB-JOB(I,J)*STCPB(I,I)
00635 FGMCH=FGMCH-EEJCB(I,J)*STCPM(I,P)
00636 WIPBE=WIPBE-EEJOB(I,J)*STCPB(I,P)
00637 WIPLE=WIPLE-EEJCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,P)
00638 FG2=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPM(I,P)
00639 FG3=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,P)
00640 FG4=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPB(I,P)
00641 GC TO 285
00642 EPROR=EEJOB(I,J)-JOB(I,J)
00643 EJCB(I,J)=JOB(I,J)
00644 IFGC(I)=IFGC(I)+JCB(I,J)
00645 IFGCE(I)=IFGCE(I)+EJOR(I,J)
00646 CWIP(I)=CWIP(I)-JCB(I,J)
00647 EKWIP(I)=EGWIP(I)-EEJOB(I,J)
00648 RN34=RAN(0)
00649 IF(RN34.LT..08) GC TO 243
00650 P=1
00651 GO TO 244
00652 P=2
00653 FGI(I)=FGI(I)+JOB(I,J)*STCP(I,I)
00654 EFGI(I)=EFGI(I)+EJCB(I,J)*STCP(I,P)
00655 FGI=EJCB(I,J)*STCP(I,P)
00656 FG5=EJCB(I,J)
00657 SUMAT1(I)=SUMAT1(I)-JOB(I,J)*STCPM(I,I)
00658 CWIPCL=CWIPCL-JCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,I)
00659 CWIPCB=CWIPCB-JOB(I,J)*STCPB(I,I)
00660 FGMCH=FGMCH-EEJOB(I,J)*STCPM(I,P)
00661 WIPBE=WIPBE-EEJCB(I,J)*STCPB(I,P)
00662 WIPLE=WIPLE-EEJCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,P)
00663 FG2=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPM(I,P)
00664 FG3=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPL(I,P)
00665 FG4=EEJCB(I,J)*STCPB(I,P)

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00666	285	IF(JOBC(I),GE,TRAN(I))	TRIGER=1.0	69
00667		IF( (TRIGER.EQ.1.0) GC TO 282		69
00668		GC TC 235		60,68
00669	282	IF(FG5.LT.0.0) GC TC 400		60,68
00670		GC TC 235		60,68
00671	400	PRINT 401,L,I		60,68
00672		GC TC 404		69
00673	235	PRINT 306,L,I,JOBC(I,J),FG5,FG1,FG2,FG3,FG4		60,68
00674	404	CONTINUE		69
00675	291	TRIGER=0.0		69
00676		PRINT 226		72
00677		PRINT 227		72
00678		DC 228 I=1,4		72
00679		PRINT 229,I,ETGRTL(I),TGRTL(I)		72
00680	228	CONTINUE		72
00681		PRINT 261		72
00682		DC 230 I=1,4		72
00683		PRINT 231,I,ETRTL(I),TRTL(I)		72
00684	230	CONTINUE		72
00685		PRINT 232,EFRTL,FTRTL		72
00686		SUMA=0.0		70
00687		PRINT 262		72
00688		DC 264 I=1,4		70
00689		FG=FG+FGI(I)		70
00690		EFG=EFG+FGI(I)		70
00691		SUMA=SUMA+SUMAT1(I)		71
00692		PRINT 263,I,EQWIP(I),QWIP(I)		72
00693	264	CONTINUE		72
00694		PRINT 265,FGMCH,SUMA		72
00695		PRINT 266,WIPLE,CWIPCL		72
00696		PRINT 267,WIPBE,CWIPCB		72
00697		TIPIE=FGMCH+WIPLE+WIPBE		71
00698		TIPI=SUMA+CWIPCL+CWIPCB		71
00699		PRINT 268,TIPIE,TIPI		72
00700		PRINT 271		72
00701		DC 310 I=1,4		72
00702	310	PRINT 307,I,IFGCE(I),IFGO(I)		72



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PRINT 272,EFG,FG
CALL RGET(BASE)
PRINT 1000, BASE
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COMMON/CNE/RM(4,450),EX(4),STD(4),RAW(4),NO(4),J,
      K=1
      TCT1=0.0
11 RM1=RM(C)
   RM2=RM(O)
   X1=SGRT(-2.*ALOG(RN1))*COS(2.*3.14159*RN2)
   N=X1*STD(J)+EX(J)
   RM(J,K)=N
   TCT2=TCT1+RM(J,K)
   IF(TCT2,GF.RAW(J))GC TO 12
   TCT1=TCT2
   K=K+1
   GC TC 11
12 RM(J,K)=RAW(J) -TCT1
   NC(J)=K
   RETURN
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EXOGENOUS VARIABLES

- \* RM (J,K) = Units of the Jth raw material received by the company in the Kth shipment of the Jth raw material.
- Where  $J=1...4$ , and K is bounded at its upper limit by the parameter RAW (J).
- \* JOB (I,J) = Units of the Ith product produced in relation to the Jth production order issued for the Ith product.
- Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by the parameter WIP (I).

ENDOGENOUS VARIABLES

- \* CWIPCB = The burden-in-process account.
- \* CWIPCL = The direct labor-in-process account.
- \* DLH1 (I,J) = Allowable standard direct labor hours for Department I operations performed on the Jth production order issued for the Ith product.
- Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by WIP (I).
- \* DLH2 (I,J) = Same as DLH1 except, DLH2 applies to Department II operations.
- EDLH1 (I,J) = REPORTED allowable standard direct labor hours for Department I operations performed on the Jth production order issued for the Ith product.
- Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by WIP (I).
- EDLH2 (I,J) = Same as EDLH1 except, EDLH2 applies to Department II operations.

\* Represents a control variable.

- EEJOB (I,J) = REPORTED production count, entered on the job time ticket and production order by the machine operators in Department II. Production count EEJOB (I,J) applies specifically to the Jth production order issued for the Ith product.
- Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by WIP (I).
- EFG = REPORTED ending finished goods inventory; carried at full standard cost.
- EFGI (I) = REPORTED finished goods inventory of the Ith product; carried at standard cost.
- Where  $I=1...4$ .
- EFTMTL = REPORTED combined ending raw materials inventory; carried at standard cost.
- EJOB (I,J) = REPORTED production count, entered on the job time ticket and production order by the machine operators in Department I. Production count EJOB (I,J) applies specifically to the Jth production order issued for the Ith product.
- Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by WIP (I).
- EQWIP (I) = REPORTED units of the Ith product in the work-in-process inventory.
- Where  $I=1...4$ .
- ERM (J,K) = Units of the Jth raw material REPORTED as received in the Kth shipment of the Jth raw material.
- Where  $J=1...4$ , and K is bounded at its upper limit by the parameter RAW (J).
- ETMTL (I) = REPORTED inventory of the Ith raw material; carried at standard cost.
- Where  $I=1...4$ .
- ETQMTL (I) = REPORTED units of the Ith raw material included in the raw material inventory.
- Where  $I=1...4$ .
- \* FG = The total ending inventory of finished goods; carried at full standard cost.



- \* FGI (I) = The finished goods inventory of the Ith product;  
carried at full standard cost.  
  
Where  $I=1...4$ .
- FGMCH = REPORTED inventory of material-in-process; carried  
at standard cost.
- FG1 = For each production order transferred from work-in-  
process to finished goods inventory, FG1 represents  
the REPORTED charge to finished goods for the total  
standard cost of the units transferred.
- FG2 = For each production order transferred from work-in-  
process to finished goods inventory, FG2 represents  
the REPORTED credit to the material-in-process  
inventory for the total standard material cost of  
units transferred.
- FG3 = For each production order transferred from work-in-  
process to finished goods inventory, FG3 represents  
the REPORTED credit to labor-in-process for the  
total standard labor cost of the units transferred.
- FG4 = For each production order transferred from work-in-  
process to finished goods inventory, FG4 represents  
the REPORTED credit to burden-in-process for the  
total standard burden cost of the units transferred.
- FG5 = For each production order transferred from work-in-  
process to finished goods inventory, FG5 represents  
the REPORTED number of units transferred.
- FTMTL = The total combined ending inventory of raw materials;  
carried at standard cost.
- IFGQ (I) = The quantity of the Ith product included in the  
finished goods inventory.  
  
Where  $I=1...4$ .
- IFGQE (I) = REPORTED units of the Ith product included in the  
finished goods inventory.  
  
Where  $I=1...4$ .
- MREQ = REPORTED quantity of raw materials requisitioned in  
connection with any one production order.
- MTUSE = The quantity of raw materials used in the manufac-  
turing of any one production order.

MWIPC	=	REPORTED quantity of raw materials charged to work-in-process in connection with the manufacturing of any one production order.
QWIP (I)	=	The quantity of the Ith product included in the work-in-process inventory.  Where $I=1...4$ .
SUMA	=	The ending material-in-process inventory; carried at standard cost.
SUMAT1 (I)	=	The material-in-process inventory for the Ith product; carried at standard cost.  Where $I=1...4$ .
TIPIE	=	REPORTED combined ending work-in-process inventory; carried at standard cost. (Includes material, labor and burden-in-process.)
TMTL (I)	=	The inventory of the Ith raw material; carried at standard cost.  Where $I=1...4$ .
TWIPI	=	The combined, ending, work-in-process inventory; carried at standard cost. (Includes material, labor and burden-in-process.)
WIPBE	=	REPORTED burden-in-process inventory; carried at standard cost.
WIPCH	=	REPORTED charge to direct labor-in-process at standard cost. The charge is calculated from the job time tickets issued for any one given production order.
WIPCHB	=	REPORTED charge to burden-in-process at standard cost. The charge is calculated from the job time tickets issued for any one given production order.
WIPCHM	=	REPORTED charge to material-in-process at standard cost. The charge is calculated from the material requisition issued for a given production order.
WIPLE	=	REPORTED direct labor-in-process inventory, carried at standard cost.

STATUS VARIABLES

- BASE = An octal number which designates the point at which the computer pseudo-random number generator stopped at the end of the simulation.
- CK1 (I,J,) = A switch set equal to 2 if errors occur in the costing of a Department I job time ticket applying to the Jth production order issued for the Ith product. If no costing error occurs, the switch is set equal to 1..
- Where I=1...4, and J is bounded at its upper limit by the parameter WIP (I).
- CK2 (I,J) = A switch which functions the same as CK1 (I,J) except CK2 (I,J) applies to job time tickets issued by Department II.
- ERMRE (I) = REPORTED accumulated quantity of the Ith raw material, requisitioned during the period.
- Where I=1...4.
- ERROR = The amount of a production count error disclosed by the weigh counting procedure.
- I = An index counter.
- IN = A variable which takes on the value of other status variables including NO (J), NO (I) and NP (I). The value of IN places a limit on the number of various transactions generated by the model.
- ISPLIT (I) = Units of Product I not transferred to finished goods along with other units of Product I contained in the same production order. ISPLIT (I) only applies to the last production order transferred to finished goods for the Ith product.
- Where I=1...4.
- J = An index counter.
- JOBC (I) = A variable used to accumulate the number of units of the Ith product transferred from work-in-process to finished goods inventory. Production orders for the Ith product are chronologically transferred up to the point that JOBC (I) equals or exceeds the limiting parameter TRAN (I). TRAN (I) establishes the total units of Product I to be transferred during the period.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

K = An index counter.

L = An index counter.

LL = An index counter.

M = An index counter.

MISCOU = The amount of a quantity reporting error. The error may occur in checking in a shipment of raw material or it may occur in recording a production count.

NI = The same as IN. See IN for details.

NO (I) = An index counter which captures the index number representing the upper limit of an indexed series.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

NP (I) = Same as NO (I) described above.

P = A variable defined to be an integer in the computer model. P is used to indicate whether or not correct standard costs are to be applied to a given transaction. For all standard cost applications except direct labor rates; if  $P=1$ , correct standard costs are applied to the transaction. If  $P=2$ , however, incorrect standard costs are applied. In the case of the application of direct labor rates; if  $P=4$ , correct standard direct labor rates are applied. If  $P=1$  or 2 erroneous rates are applied.

RMRE (I) = The quantity of the Ith raw material used in production during the period.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

RN1, RN2, RN5, = Uniformly distributed, pseudo-random numbers with  
RN7, RN8, RN9, values between 0 and 1. These numbers are gener-  
RN10, RN11, ated from the C.D.C. 6600 RAN (0) random number  
RN12, RN21, generator.  
RN22, RN34

SD (I,J) = The raw material standard cost applied to the Jth shipment of the Ith raw material.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and J is bounded at its upper limit by RAW (J).



- SUMA 2 (I) = REPORTED total quantity of the Ith raw material requisitioned into production during the period at extended standard cost.
- Where  $I=1...4$ .
- TOT1 = An accumulator for total units of raw material shipped.
- TOT2 = An accumulator for total units of raw material shipped.
- TOT3 = An accumulator for total units of product manufactured.
- TRIGGER = A switch which is used to stop the processing of production orders being transferred to finished goods inventory. If TRIGGER equals 0, production orders are transferred chronologically by product type. When the accumulated transferred units of the Ith product equals or exceeds TRAN (I), TRIGGER is re-set to 1 and transfers end on product I. The processing then proceeds to product type I+1 and TRIGGER is re-set to 0.
- X1 = A normal deviate used in generating shipments of raw materials. Shipment sizes are assumed to follow a normal distribution with a given mean and standard deviation. The mean and standard deviation are established by the parameters EX (J) and STD (J) respectively.
- X2 = A normal deviate used to generate production order quantities. Production order sizes are assumed to follow a normal distribution with a mean of 150 units and a standard deviation of 35 units.

#### PARAMETERS

- EX (J) = The mean of the normal distribution used to generate individual shipments of the Jth raw material.
- Where  $J=1...4$ .
- PRAW (I,P) = The Pth standard cost for the Ith raw material. If p equals 1 PRAW (I,1) indicates the proper raw material standard. If p equals 2, PRAW (I,2) indicates an incorrect raw material standard by referencing a standard material cost for a similar type of raw material.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

QWIP1 (I) = The quantity of the Ith product included in the initial beginning work-in-process inventory of Department I.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

QWIP2 (I) = The quantity of the Ith product included in the initial beginning work-in-process inventory of Department II.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

RAW (I) = Parameter establishing the total units of the Ith raw material to be shipped during the period.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

SBR (I,K,P) = The Pth burden rate for the Kth producing department applying to the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ ,  $K=1$  or  $2$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

SDLH (I,K,P) = The Pth direct labor hour standard for the Kth department applying to the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ ,  $K=1$  or  $2$  and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

STLR (K,P) = The Pth standard direct labor rate for the Kth department.

Where  $K=1$  or  $2$  and  $P=1, 2$ , or  $4$ .

STCP (I,P) = The Pth total unit standard cost of the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

STCPB (I,P) = The Pth burden unit standard cost for the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

STCPL (I,P) = The Pth direct labor unit standard cost for the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .

STCPM (I,P) = The Pth material unit standard cost for the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ , and  $P=1$  or  $2$ .



- STD (J)       = The standard deviation of the normal distribution used to generate individual shipments of the Jth raw material.

Where  $J=1...4$ .

- TRAN (I)       = The ACTUAL total quantity of the Ith product to be transferred from work-in-process to finished goods inventory during the period.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

- WIP (I)       = The ACTUAL total quantity of the Ith product to be produced during the period. WIP (I) sets the upper boundary on the individual production orders generated for the Ith product.

Where  $I=1...4$ .

#### OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

- f (ERROR)       = There is no specified probability density function for the discovery of production count errors on production orders transferred from work-in-process to finished goods inventory. It is assumed that the weigh count operator discovers all errors on those production orders which are overstated by more than 20 units.

- f (JOB)       = The density function which determines the size of individual production orders. (Number of units actually produced.) Production order sizes are assumed to be normally distributed with a mean of 150 units and a standard deviation of 35 units.

- f (MISCOU)       = In the case of the receiving and inspection department, the probability density function, determining the occurrence of quantity count errors, is a discrete empirical distribution. Errors are specified to occur on 25 percent of the shipments received during the period. All shipments have an equal likelihood of being erroneously recorded. When an error occurs it is always assumed to be an understatement in the amount of 10 percent of the actual quantity shipped.

In the case of producing Department I, the probability density function, determining the occurrence of an error in recording the production count for a given production order, is a discrete empirical distribution. Errors are specified to occur on 15 percent of the production orders that are

processed in Department I during the period. All production orders processed have an equal likelihood of being erroneously recorded. Given that an error occurs in Department I, it is always assumed to be an overstatement of the production count. The amount of the overstatement is always 10 percent of the actual quantity produced on the order being processed.

In the case of producing Department II, the probability density function, determining the occurrence of an error in recording the production count for a given order, is also a discrete empirical distribution. The distribution for Department II depends upon the distribution specified for Department I. All production orders processed by Department II, which were erroneously reported by Department I are reported by Department II at the incorrect Department I count. In addition to these errors, Department II overstates the production count on 8 percent of the remaining production orders not erroneously reported by Department I. These orders are overstated by 5 percent of the actual quantity produced.

- f (PRAW) = The probability density function determining the occurrence of an error in costing individual raw material shipments. The density function is a discrete empirical distribution. The distribution specifies that costing errors occur on 10 percent of the shipments processed during the period. All shipments have an equal likelihood of being erroneously priced. When an error occurs a standard cost for a raw material, similar to the one included in the shipment, is used to cost the shipment and update the raw material inventory. The erroneous standard cost may be greater or less than the correct standard cost depending upon the specific material involved.
- f (SDLH, SBR) = The probability density function which determines the occurrence of an error in applying direct labor and burden rate standards. This probability density function is an empirical discrete distribution. The distribution specifies that costing errors occur on 8 percent of the job-time-tickets prepared by Department I and Department II. All job-time-tickets processed have an equal likelihood of being erroneously costed. When an error occurs, standards for a product similar to the product involved are applied to the job ticket being processed. Erroneous standards may result in extended

charges to labor and burden-in-process greater or less than those that would result if correct standards were applied.

- f (SDLR) = The probability density function which determines the occurrence of an error in applying standard direct labor rates to job-time-tickets prepared by Departments I and II. This probability density function is an empirical discrete distribution. The distribution specifies that errors occur on the costing of 10 percent of the job-time-tickets processed. All job tickets processed have an equal likelihood of being erroneously costed. When an error occurs, 50 percent of them result in the application of an obsolete direct labor rate. The other 50 percent of the errors result in the application of a rate applicable to an incorrect Department.
- f (STCP, STCPL, STCPB, STCPM) = The probability density function which determines the occurrence of an error in applying standard unit costs to production orders transferred from work-in-process to finished goods inventory. This probability function is an empirical discrete distribution. The distribution specifies that errors occur in the costing of 8 percent of the production orders transferred during the period. Each production order transferred has an equal likelihood of being erroneously priced. When an error occurs unit standard costs for an incorrect similar product are applied to the production order being processed.

A P P E N D I X D  
SAMPLES OF THE DATA PRINTED  
BY THE SYSTEM SIMULATION PROGRAM

## SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS

SHIPMENT NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY SHIPPED	RECEIVER NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY RECEIVED
1	1	153.0	1	1	153.0
2	1	204.0	2	1	184.0
3	1	211.0	3	1	211.0
4	1	179.0	4	1	162.0
5	1	195.0	5	1	176.0
6	1	208.0	6	1	208.0
7	1	200.0	7	1	200.0
8	1	195.0	8	1	176.0
9	1	237.0	9	1	237.0
10	1	217.0	10	1	196.0
11	1	218.0	11	1	218.0
12	1	200.0	12	1	200.0
13	1	238.0	13	1	238.0
14	1	191.0	14	1	191.0
15	1	169.0	15	1	153.0
16	1	229.0	16	1	229.0
17	1	212.0	17	1	191.0
18	1	228.0	18	1	228.0
19	1	172.0	19	1	172.0
20	1	215.0	20	1	215.0
21	1	246.0	21	1	246.0
22	1	129.0	22	1	129.0
23	1	169.0	23	1	169.0
24	1	226.0	24	1	226.0
25	1	197.0	25	1	197.0
26	1	185.0	26	1	185.0
27	1	166.0	27	1	150.0
28	1	191.0	28	1	191.0
29	1	168.0	29	1	152.0
30	1	221.0	30	1	199.0
31	1	255.0	31	1	255.0
32	1	210.0	32	1	210.0
33	1	193.0	33	1	174.0
34	1	141.0	34	1	141.0



# SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING REPORTS PROCESSED IN TERMS OF UNITS

SHIPMENT NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY SHIPPED	RECEIVER NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY RECEIVED
175	1	247.0	175	1	247.0
176	1	167.0	176	1	167.0
177	1	196.0	177	1	196.0
178	1	221.0	178	1	221.0
179	1	214.0	179	1	214.0
180	1	206.0	180	1	206.0
181	1	188.0	181	1	170.0
182	1	216.0	182	1	216.0
183	1	156.0	183	1	141.0
184	1	177.0	184	1	177.0
185	1	228.0	185	1	228.0
186	1	220.0	186	1	220.0
187	1	234.0	187	1	234.0
188	1	202.0	188	1	202.0
189	1	194.0	189	1	194.0
190	1	191.0	190	1	191.0
191	1	233.0	191	1	233.0
192	1	228.0	192	1	228.0
193	1	174.0	193	1	157.0
194	1	237.0	194	1	237.0
195	1	195.0	195	1	195.0
196	1	240.0	196	1	240.0
197	1	185.0	197	1	185.0
198	1	223.0	198	1	223.0
199	1	180.0	199	1	180.0
200	1	207.0	200	1	207.0
201	1	43.0	201	1	43.0
202	2	192.0	202	2	192.0
203	2	173.0	203	2	173.0
204	2	153.0	204	2	153.0
205	2	171.0	205	2	171.0
206	2	210.0	206	2	210.0
207	2	211.0	207	2	211.0
208	2	195.0	208	2	195.0
209	2	234.0	209	2	234.0



SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING FORMS PROCESSED  
PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST

SHIPMENT NUMBER	EXTENDED STD.COST	RECEIVER NUMBER	EXTENDED STD.COST
1	2065.50	1	994.50
2	2754.00	2	2484.00
3	2848.50	3	2848.50
4	2416.50	4	2187.00
5	2632.50	5	2376.00
6	2808.00	6	1352.00
7	2700.00	7	1300.00
8	2632.50	8	2376.00
9	3199.50	9	3199.50
10	2929.50	10	2646.00
11	2943.00	11	2943.00
12	2700.00	12	1300.00
13	3213.00	13	3213.00
14	2578.50	14	2578.50
15	2281.50	15	2065.50
16	3091.50	16	3091.50
17	2862.00	17	2578.50
18	3078.00	18	3078.00
19	2322.00	19	2322.00
20	2902.50	20	2902.50
21	3321.00	21	1599.00
22	1741.50	22	1741.50
23	2281.50	23	2281.50
24	3051.00	24	3051.00
25	2659.50	25	2659.50
26	2497.50	26	2497.50
27	2241.00	27	2025.00
28	2578.50	28	2578.50
29	2268.00	29	2052.00
30	2983.50	30	2686.50
31	3442.50	31	3442.50
32	2835.00	32	2835.00
33	2605.50	33	2349.00
34	1903.50	34	1903.50

SUMMARY OF SHIPMENTS RECEIVED AND RECEIVING FORMS PROCESSED  
PRICED AND EXTENDED AT STANDARD COST

SHIPMENT NUMBER	EXTENDED STD. COST	RECEIVER NUMBER	EXTENDED STD. COST
175	3334.50	175	3334.50
176	2254.50	176	2254.50
177	2646.00	177	2646.00
178	2983.50	178	2983.50
179	2889.00	179	2889.00
180	2781.00	180	2781.00
181	2538.00	181	2295.00
182	2916.00	182	2916.00
183	1903.50	183	1903.50
184	2389.50	184	2389.50
185	3078.00	185	3078.00
186	2970.00	186	2970.00
187	3159.00	187	3159.00
188	2727.00	188	2727.00
189	1261.00	189	1261.00
190	2578.50	190	2578.50
191	3145.50	191	3145.50
192	3078.00	192	3078.00
193	2119.50	193	2119.50
194	3199.50	194	3199.50
195	2632.50	195	2632.50
196	3240.00	196	3240.00
197	2497.50	197	2497.50
198	3010.50	198	3010.50
199	2430.00	199	2430.00
200	2794.50	200	2794.50
201	580.50	201	580.50
202	1536.00	202	1536.00
203	2889.10	203	2889.10
204	2555.10	204	2555.10
205	2855.70	205	2855.70
206	3507.00	206	3507.00
207	3523.70	207	3523.70
208	3256.50	208	3256.50
209	4325.30	209	3907.80

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 PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT 1  
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ORDER NO.	PRODUCT	UNITS PRODUCED	UNITS REPORTED	DIRECT LBR. HRS. REPORTED	DIR. LBR. CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS	BURDEN CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS
1	1	187.	187.	11.22000	69.56	144.18
2	1	187.	187.	11.22000	69.56	144.18
3	1	156.	156.	11.76000	72.91	151.12
4	1	131.	144.	7.86000	53.57	111.02
5	1	156.	156.	9.36000	58.03	120.28
6	1	172.	172.	10.32000	63.98	132.61
7	1	118.	118.	7.08000	43.90	90.98
8	1	76.	76.	4.56000	18.85	34.66
9	1	182.	183.	10.98000	68.08	141.09
10	1	134.	134.	8.04000	49.85	103.31
11	1	205.	205.	12.30000	76.26	158.05
12	1	68.	68.	4.08000	25.30	52.43
13	1	121.	121.	7.26000	45.01	93.29
14	1	98.	107.	5.88000	39.80	82.50
15	1	113.	113.	6.78000	42.04	87.12
16	1	179.	156.	10.74000	72.91	151.12
17	1	126.	126.	7.56000	46.87	97.15
18	1	68.	74.	4.08000	18.35	33.74
19	1	94.	94.	5.64000	34.97	72.47
20	1	68.	68.	4.08000	25.30	52.43
21	1	166.	166.	9.96000	61.75	127.99
22	1	142.	142.	8.52000	52.82	109.48
23	1	131.	131.	7.86000	47.16	101.00
24	1	108.	108.	6.48000	40.18	83.27
25	1	124.	124.	7.44000	44.64	95.60
26	1	151.	151.	9.06000	56.17	116.42
27	1	136.	136.	8.16000	50.59	104.86
28	1	155.	155.	9.30000	55.80	119.50
29	1	154.	154.	9.24000	55.44	118.73
30	1	173.	173.	10.38000	64.36	133.38
31	1	147.	147.	8.82000	54.68	113.34
32	1	95.	95.	5.70000	35.34	73.24
33	1	153.	153.	9.18000	56.92	117.96
34	1	118.	118.	7.08000	43.90	90.98

# PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT 1

ORDER NO.	PRODUCT	UNITS PRODUCED	UNITS REPORTED	DEFECT LBR. HRS. REPORTED	DIR. LBR. CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS	PURDEN CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS
210	1	141.	141.	8.46000	52.45	108.71
211	1	153.	153.	9.18000	56.92	117.96
212	1	143.	143.	8.58000	53.20	110.25
213	1	168.	164.	10.08000	68.45	141.86
214	1	153.	153.	9.18000	56.92	117.96
215	1	186.	186.	11.16000	66.96	143.41
216	1	131.	131.	7.86000	48.73	101.00
217	1	214.	235.	12.84000	87.42	181.18
218	1	202.	202.	12.12000	75.14	155.74
219	1	116.	127.	6.96000	47.24	97.92
220	1	167.	197.	11.82000	48.86	89.83
221	1	102.	102.	6.12000	37.94	78.64
222	1	123.	123.	7.38000	45.76	94.83
223	1	123.	135.	7.38000	50.22	104.08
224	1	74.	74.	4.44000	27.53	57.05
225	1	186.	186.	11.16000	69.19	143.41
226	1	117.	117.	7.02000	43.52	90.21
227	1	36.	36.	2.16000	13.39	27.76
228	2	143.	143.	12.87000	79.79	165.38
229	2	172.	189.	15.48000	95.26	218.58
230	2	123.	123.	11.07000	68.63	142.25
231	2	94.	54.	8.46000	52.45	108.71
232	2	138.	138.	12.42000	77.00	159.60
233	2	160.	160.	14.40000	89.28	185.04
234	2	95.	95.	8.55000	53.01	109.87
235	2	129.	129.	11.61000	71.98	149.19
236	2	150.	150.	17.10000	106.02	219.73
237	2	142.	142.	12.78000	79.24	164.22
238	2	183.	183.	16.47000	102.11	211.64
239	2	82.	82.	7.38000	41.33	94.83
240	2	203.	203.	18.27000	113.27	234.77
241	2	169.	169.	15.21000	94.30	195.45
242	2	148.	148.	13.32000	82.58	171.16
243	2	120.	120.	10.80000	66.96	138.78
244	2	168.	168.	15.12000	93.74	194.29



PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT 2

CRPEP NO.	PRODUCT	UNITS PRODUCED	UNITS REPORTED	DIRECT LRR. HRS. REPORTED	FIR. LBR. CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS	PURCH. CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS
1	1	187.	187.	7.48000	41.89	385.59
2	1	187.	187.	7.48000	41.89	385.59
3	1	196.	196.	7.84000	43.90	404.15
4	1	131.	144.	5.24000	32.26	296.93
5	1	154.	156.	6.24000	34.94	321.67
6	1	172.	172.	6.88000	38.53	354.66
7	1	118.	118.	4.72000	26.43	243.32
8	1	76.	76.	3.04000	17.02	156.71
9	1	183.	183.	7.32000	40.99	377.35
10	1	134.	140.	5.36000	31.36	246.68
11	1	205.	205.	8.20000	45.92	422.71
12	1	68.	68.	2.72000	15.23	140.22
13	1	121.	121.	4.84000	27.10	249.50
14	1	98.	107.	3.92000	23.97	188.53
15	1	113.	113.	4.52000	25.31	233.01
16	1	179.	196.	7.16000	43.90	404.15
17	1	126.	132.	5.04000	29.57	272.18
18	1	68.	74.	2.72000	16.58	152.59
19	1	94.	94.	3.76000	21.06	193.83
20	1	68.	68.	2.72000	15.23	140.22
21	1	166.	166.	6.64000	37.18	342.29
22	1	142.	142.	5.68000	30.67	292.80
23	1	131.	131.	5.24000	29.34	230.82
24	1	108.	108.	4.32000	24.19	190.30
25	1	124.	124.	4.96000	30.75	218.49
26	1	151.	151.	6.04000	33.82	266.06
27	1	136.	136.	5.44000	30.46	280.43
28	1	155.	155.	6.20000	34.72	319.61
29	1	154.	154.	6.16000	34.50	317.55
30	1	173.	173.	6.92000	38.75	356.73
31	1	147.	147.	5.88000	32.93	303.11
32	1	95.	95.	3.80000	21.28	195.89
33	1	153.	153.	6.12000	37.94	315.49
34	1	118.	118.	4.72000	26.43	243.32



# PRODUCTION ORDER SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD FOR DEPARTMENT 2

CARD NO.	PRODUCT	UNITS PRODUCED	UNITS REPORTED	DIRECT LBR. HRS. REPORTED	DIR. LBR. CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS	BURDEN CHARGED WORK-IN-PROCESS
210	1	141.	141.	5.64000	31.58	290.74
211	1	153.	153.	6.12000	34.27	315.49
212	1	143.	150.	5.72000	33.60	309.30
213	1	168.	184.	6.72000	41.22	379.41
214	1	153.	152.	6.12000	34.27	315.49
215	1	186.	195.	7.44000	43.68	402.09
216	1	131.	131.	5.24000	29.34	230.82
217	1	214.	235.	8.56000	52.64	484.57
218	1	202.	202.	8.08000	45.25	416.52
219	1	116.	127.	4.64000	28.45	261.87
220	1	197.	197.	7.88000	44.13	406.21
221	1	102.	102.	4.08000	22.85	210.32
222	1	123.	123.	4.92000	27.55	253.63
223	1	123.	135.	4.92000	29.16	278.37
224	1	74.	74.	2.96000	15.98	152.59
225	1	186.	186.	7.44000	41.66	327.73
226	1	117.	117.	4.68000	26.21	241.25
227	1	35.	36.	1.44000	8.06	74.23
228	2	143.	143.	8.58000	48.05	442.30
229	2	172.	189.	10.32000	63.50	584.58
230	2	122.	123.	7.38000	45.76	380.44
231	2	94.	98.	5.64000	32.93	303.11
232	2	138.	138.	8.28000	46.37	426.83
233	2	160.	160.	9.60000	53.76	494.88
234	2	95.	95.	5.70000	31.92	293.83
235	2	129.	129.	7.74000	50.57	397.77
236	2	190.	190.	11.40000	63.84	587.67
237	2	142.	142.	8.52000	47.71	439.21
238	2	183.	183.	10.98000	61.49	566.02
239	2	82.	86.	4.92000	28.90	266.00
240	2	203.	203.	12.18000	68.21	627.88
241	2	169.	169.	10.14000	56.78	522.72
242	2	148.	148.	8.88000	49.73	457.76
243	2	120.	120.	7.20000	40.32	371.16
244	2	168.	168.	10.08000	56.45	519.62

## MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY

REQUISITION NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY USED	QUANTITY REQUISITIONED	CHARGED TO WORK-IN-PROCESS QUANTITY STANDARD	AMOUNT	AMOUNT CREDITED RAW MATERIALS
1	1	187	187	187	2524.50	2524.50
2	1	187	187	187	2524.50	2524.50
3	1	196	196	196	2646.00	2646.00
4	1	131	144	144	1944.00	1944.00
5	1	156	156	156	2106.00	2106.00
6	1	172	172	172	2322.00	2322.00
7	1	118	118	118	1593.00	1593.00
8	1	76	76	76	1026.00	1026.00
9	1	183	183	183	2470.50	2470.50
10	1	134	134	134	1809.00	1809.00
11	1	205	205	205	2767.50	2767.50
12	1	68	68	68	918.00	918.00
13	1	121	121	121	1633.50	1633.50
14	1	98	107	107	1444.50	1444.50
15	1	113	113	113	1525.50	1525.50
16	1	179	196	196	2646.00	2646.00
17	1	126	126	126	1701.00	1701.00
18	1	68	74	74	999.00	999.00
19	1	94	94	94	1269.00	1269.00
20	1	68	68	68	918.00	918.00
21	1	166	166	166	2241.00	2241.00
22	1	142	142	142	1917.00	1917.00
23	1	131	131	131	1768.50	1768.50
24	1	108	108	108	1458.00	1458.00
25	1	124	124	124	1674.00	1674.00
26	1	151	151	151	2038.50	2038.50
27	1	136	136	136	1836.00	1836.00
28	1	155	155	155	2092.50	2092.50
29	1	154	154	154	2079.00	2079.00
30	1	173	173	173	2335.50	2335.50
31	1	147	147	147	1984.50	1984.50
32	1	95	95	95	1282.50	1282.50
33	1	153	153	153	2065.50	2065.50
34	1	118	118	118	1593.00	1593.00

# MATERIAL REQUISITION SUMMARY

REQUISITION NUMBER	TYPE OF MATERIAL	QUANTITY USED	QUANTITY REQUISITIONED	CHARGED TO QUANTITY STANDARD	WORK-IN-PROCESS AMOUNT	AMOUNT CREDITED RAW MATERIALS
210	1	141	141	141	916.50	916.50
211	1	153	153	153	2065.50	2065.50
212	1	143	143	143	1930.50	1930.50
213	1	168	184	184	2484.00	2484.00
214	1	153	153	153	2065.50	2065.50
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222	1	123	123	123	1660.50	1660.50
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228	2	143	143	143	2388.10	2388.10
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240	2	203	203	203	3390.10	3390.10
241	2	169	169	169	2822.30	2822.30
242	2	148	148	148	1184.00	1184.00
243	2	120	120	120	2004.00	2004.00
244	2	168	168	168	2805.60	2805.60

## SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION CROEFS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS

ORDER NO.	PROG.	UNITS TRANS.	UNITS REPORTED AS TRANSFERRED	EXTENDED CHARGE FINISHED GOODS	EXTENDED MATERIAL	CREDIT LABOR	TO W.I.P. BURDEN
1	1	187.	187.	3165.72	2524.50	111.45	529.77
2	1	187.	187.	3165.72	2524.50	111.45	529.77
3	1	196.	196.	3318.08	2646.00	116.82	555.27
4	1	131.	144.	2437.78	1944.00	85.82	407.95
5	1	156.	156.	2640.92	2106.00	92.98	441.95
6	1	172.	172.	2911.79	2322.00	102.51	487.28
7	1	118.	118.	1997.62	1593.00	70.33	334.29
8	1	76.	76.	1286.60	1026.00	45.30	215.31
9	1	183.	183.	3098.01	2470.50	109.07	518.44
10	1	134.	140.	2370.06	1890.00	83.44	396.62
11	1	205.	205.	1883.25	1332.50	96.76	454.69
12	1	63.	63.	1151.17	918.00	40.53	192.64
13	1	121.	121.	2048.41	1633.50	72.12	342.79
14	1	98.	107.	1811.40	1444.50	63.77	303.13
15	1	113.	113.	1912.98	1525.50	67.35	320.13
16	1	179.	196.	3318.08	2646.00	116.82	555.27
17	1	126.	132.	2234.63	1782.00	78.67	373.96
18	1	68.	74.	1252.75	999.00	44.10	209.64
19	1	94.	94.	1591.33	1269.00	56.02	266.30
20	1	68.	68.	1151.17	918.00	40.53	192.64
21	1	166.	166.	2819.21	2241.00	98.94	470.28
22	1	142.	142.	2403.92	1917.00	84.63	402.29
23	1	131.	131.	2717.70	1768.50	78.08	371.12
24	1	108.	108.	1328.33	1458.00	64.37	305.96
25	1	124.	124.	2099.20	1674.00	73.90	351.29
26	1	151.	151.	2556.28	2038.50	90.00	427.78
27	1	136.	136.	2302.34	1836.00	81.06	385.29
28	1	155.	155.	2623.99	2092.50	92.38	439.11
29	1	154.	154.	2607.07	2079.00	91.78	436.28
30	1	173.	173.	2928.72	2335.50	103.11	490.11
31	1	147.	147.	2488.56	1984.50	87.61	416.45
32	1	95.	95.	873.05	617.50	44.84	210.71
33	1	153.	153.	2590.14	2065.50	91.19	433.45
34	1	118.	118.	1997.62	1593.00	70.33	334.29



## SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION ORDERS TRANSFERRED TO FINISHED GOODS

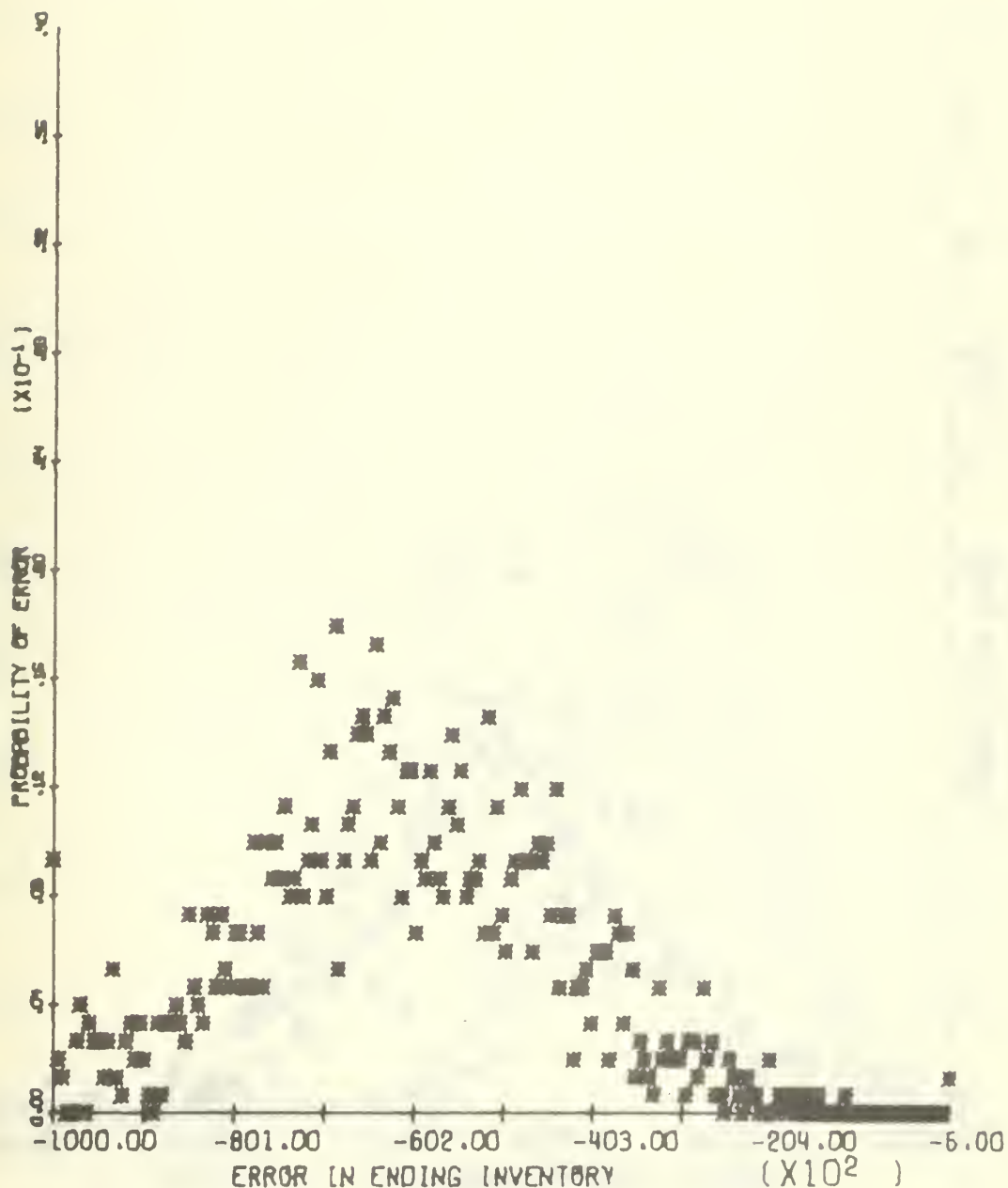
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228	2	143.	143.	3123.62	2388.10	127.84	607.68	
229	2	172.	189.	4128.42	3156.30	168.97	803.16	
230	2	123.	123.	2686.75	2054.10	109.96	522.69	
231	2	94.	98.	2140.66	1636.60	87.61	416.45	
232	2	138.	138.	3014.40	2304.60	123.37	586.43	
233	2	160.	160.	3494.96	2672.00	143.04	679.92	
234	2	95.	95.	2075.13	1586.50	84.93	403.70	
235	2	129.	129.	2817.81	2154.30	115.33	548.19	
236	2	190.	190.	2380.98	1520.00	145.16	715.82	
237	2	142.	142.	3101.78	2371.40	126.95	603.42	
238	2	183.	183.	3997.36	3056.10	163.60	777.66	
239	2	82.	82.	1879.54	1436.20	76.88	365.46	
240	2	203.	203.	4434.23	3390.10	181.48	862.65	
241	2	169.	169.	3691.55	2822.30	151.09	718.17	
242	2	148.	148.	3232.84	2471.60	132.31	628.93	
243	2	120.	120.	2621.22	2004.00	107.28	509.94	
244	2	168.	168.	3669.71	2805.60	150.19	713.92	



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RAW MATERIALS ENDING INVENTORY		REPORTED	CONTRCL
UNITS OF RAW MATERIAL 1		12991.00	14400.00
UNITS OF RAW MATERIAL 2		7716.00	9000.00
UNITS OF RAW MATERIAL 3		6612.00	8000.00
UNITS OF RAW MATERIAL 4		8674.00	9600.00
STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL 1 INVENTORY		185948.50	194400.00
STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL 2 INVENTORY		120383.40	150300.00
STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL 3 INVENTORY		32492.00	52000.00
STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL 4 INVENTORY		70914.50	76800.00
TOTAL STD.COST OF RAW MATERIAL INVENTORY		409738.40	473500.00
WORK-IN-PROCESS ENDING INVENTORY		REPORTED	CONTRCL
UNITS OF PRODUCT 1		3402.00	3320.00
UNITS OF PRODUCT 2		2086.00	2036.00
UNITS OF PRODUCT 3		3295.00	3223.00
UNITS OF PRODUCT 4		7284.00	7181.00
STD.COST OF MATERIAL-IN-PROCESS		154734.10	157218.70
STD.COST OF LABOR-IN-PROCESS		10425.84	10806.44
STD.BURDEN CONTENT OF WORK-IN-PROCESS		52710.13	52260.57
TOTAL STD.COST OF WORK-IN-PROCESS		217870.07	220285.72
FINISHED GOODS ENDING INVENTORY		REPORTED	CONTROL
UNITS OF PRODUCT 1		4238.00	3680.00
UNITS OF PRODUCT 2		4909.00	4464.00
UNITS OF PRODUCT 3		7241.00	6777.00
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TOTAL STD.COST OF FINISHED GOODS		299668.73	287490.63

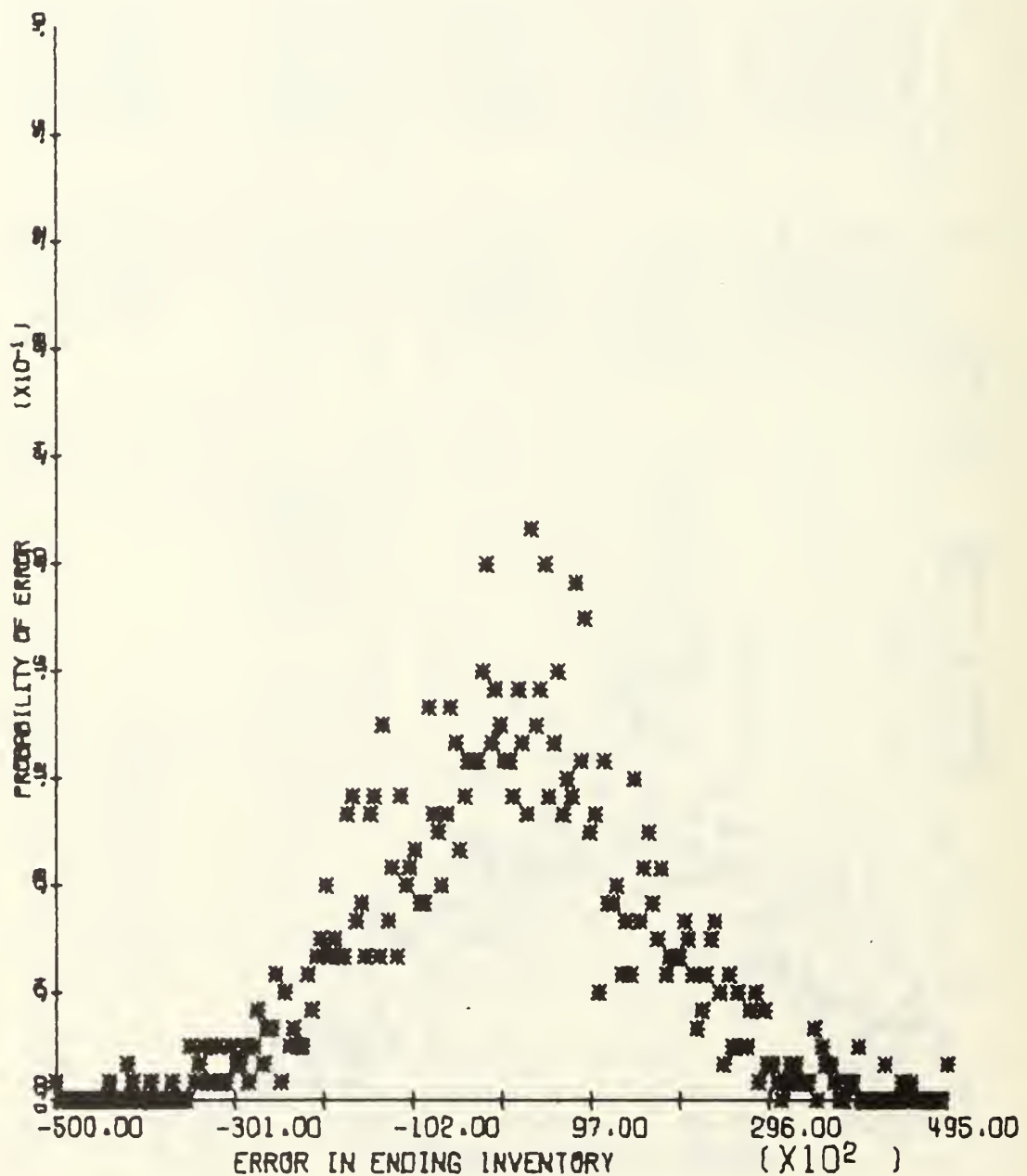
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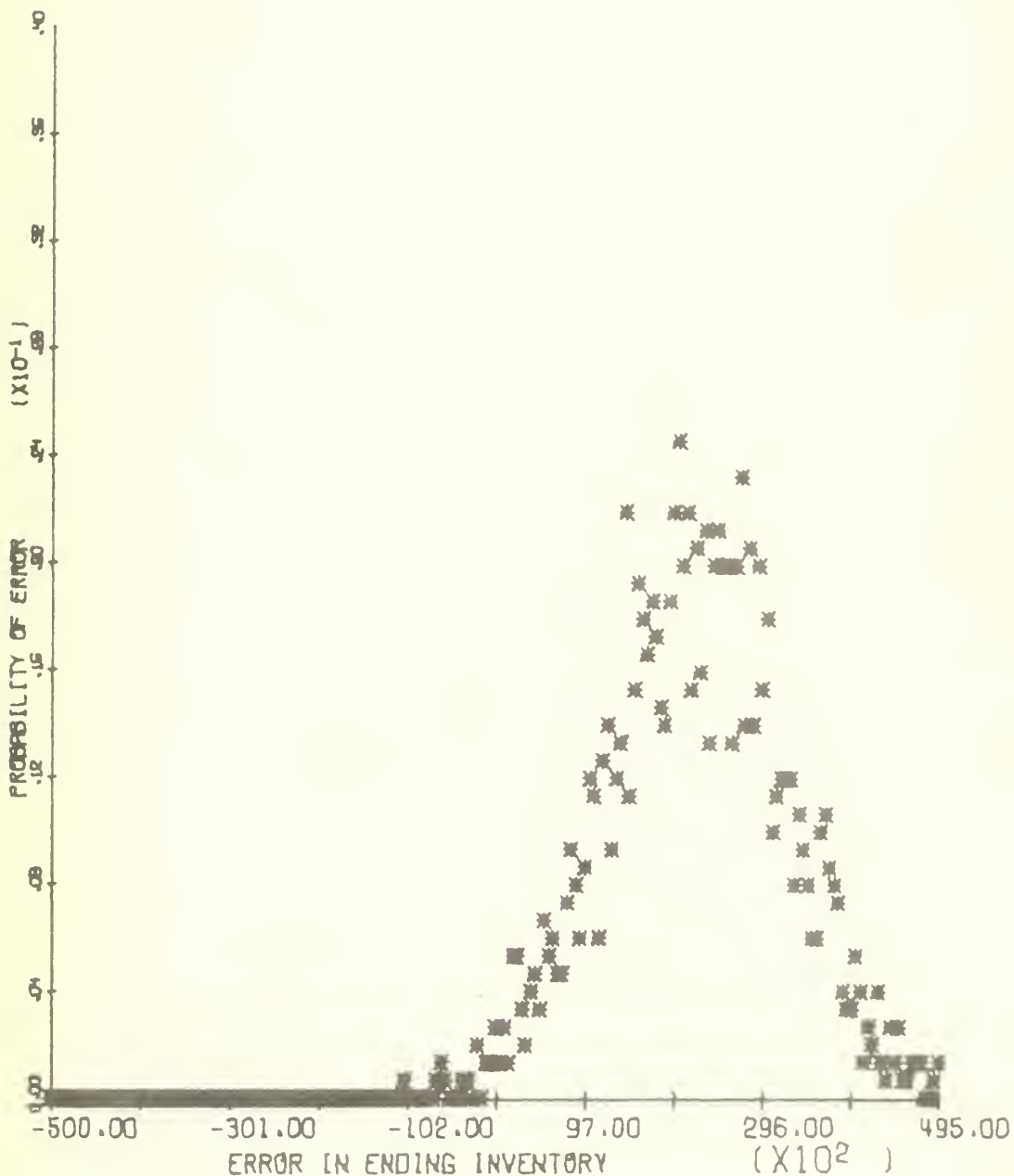
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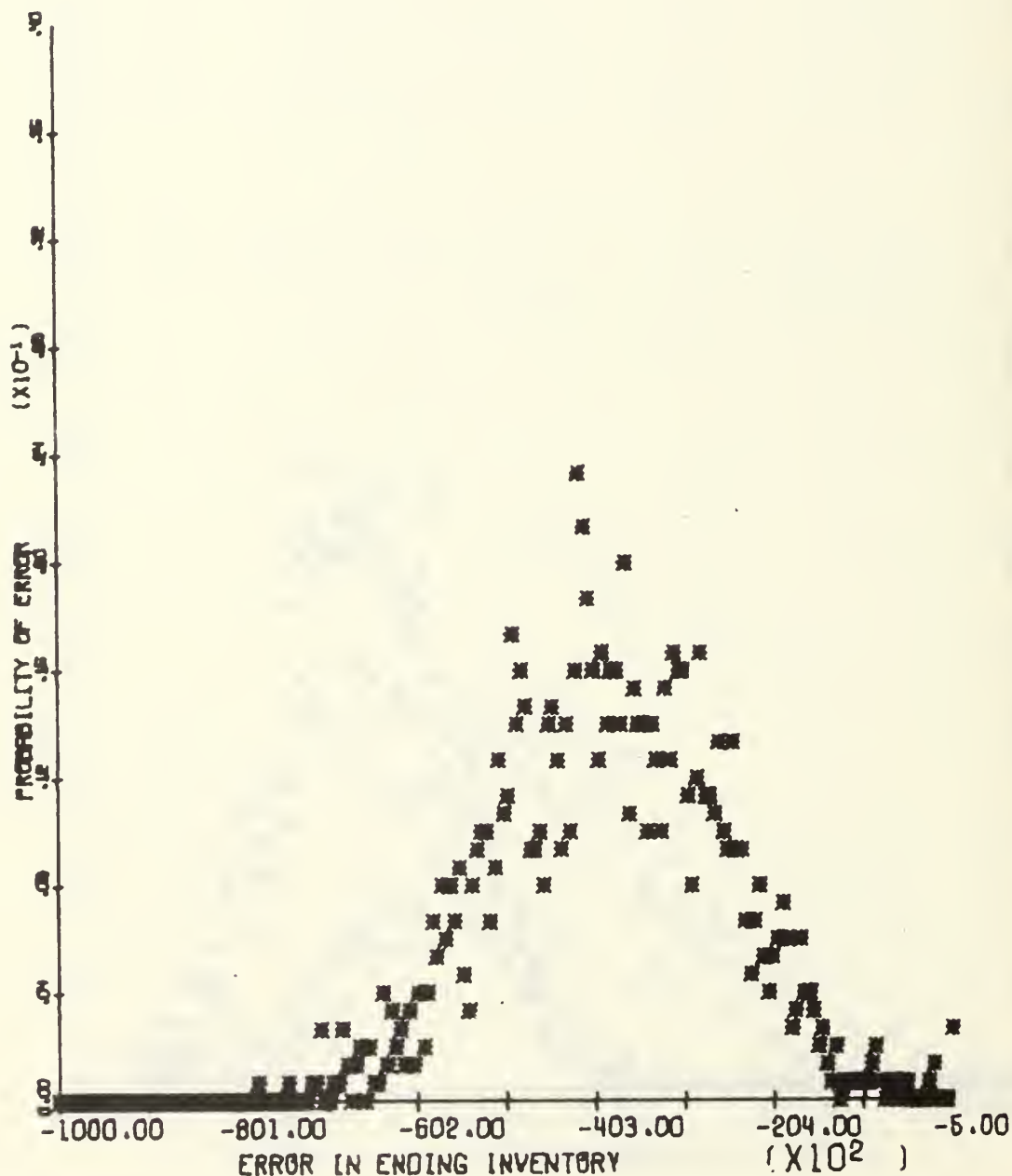
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PLOT OF THE PROBABILITY DISTRIBUTION OF  
THE ERROR IN THE COMBINED INVENTORY  
COMPUTED BY THE SYSTEM SIMULATION MODEL



LEGEND

TOTAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY=9MD.  
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## 20. ABSTRACT (Continued)

A teaching approach for using this simulation case is described in an article entitled "A Computer Simulation Approach for Teaching the Evaluation of Internal Control." This article is scheduled for publication by the American Accounting Association early in 1974 in the Association's forthcoming book, tentatively entitled Accounting Education.

This report contains copies of all of the material which is necessary to implement the teaching approach described in the article mentioned above. The purpose of this report is to make the simulation case available to auditing instructors at universities other than the Naval Postgraduate School.



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